THE WEATHER
Fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight; fresh northwest winds.
Sun rises 5:07 a. m., sets 8:19 p. m.
High tide 10:42 a. m., 11:01 p. m.
Temperatures (ft noon—Maximum 70 at 11 a. m.; minimum 60 at 5 a. m.; average, 68.
Light all vehicles at 9:09 p. m.

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AMERICAN VICTORIES ON MARNE

CAPTURE 2 TOWNS IN TERRIFIC BATTLE

EDISON CO. ARGUMENT REFUTED

American Counsel in Fight for Lower Rates Shows Why Company Seeks Delay

The hearings before the Gas and Electric Light Commission on the petition of the Boston AMERICAN and others for a reduction in the price charged by the Boston Edison Electric Illuminating Company for electricity were resumed yesterday. It was the fifth hearing.

Mr. Edgar, president of the company, closed his testimony in the morning with a plea for a continuance of the hearing until after the war upon the ground that the character of the questions filed by Mr. MacParland, counsel for the petitioners, and the character of the hearings indicated that the case would be the most thoroughly tried and important case that the Edison company ever had to meet or that any company has had to meet; that for this reason the whole force of the company would have to be devoted to meeting this case, and under the conditions of the war, this was not fair.

In his reply Mr. MacParland cited the decision of the commissions in other States where increases in war costs was an issue. He charged that even if all that Mr. Ives had alleged to be the increased cost of producing electricity were admitted, still the company is not entitled to more profits. It is just as harmful and expensive to the public in the long run for a company not to make adequate provision for obsolescence and maintenance as it is to extort unreasonable profits. I challenge the company to ask for an increase of rates, or to make the case without asking the board for permission.

I venture the prediction that the company will not accept my challenge, for the very good reason that a hearing on the question of the cost of producing electricity would then become necessary by the company's own act. The company will bear a very considerable increase in the cost of producing electricity before it ventures to take any step which will place upon it the burden of showing that its present charges for electricity are reasonable.

WAR MAY LAST FIVE YEARS.

When Mr. Ives read his carefully prepared argument the other day in favor of a postponement of this case, he suggested that the commission might possibly think that the reason which he assigned for the motion was presumptuous. He might well fear that this Board would consider his attitude presumptuous. He asked

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42 MORE U. S. BOYS DEAD

Heavy Fatalities in Casualty List of 48 Names; 17 Killed in Action

Nine names of New England men appear in the casualty list issued today. One lieutenant and a private died in action. Another lieutenant and a private died of wounds. Another private died of disease. Two privates are reported as severely wounded. Two sergeants previously reported missing are today reported as prisoners.

NEW ENGLAND'S ROLL OF HONOR

KILLED IN ACTION.

Lieutenant Henry W. Clarke, No. 156 Oliver street, Boston.
Private George Olen, Brockton.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Lieutenant Lynn H. Harriman, Concord, N. H.
Private Leon R. Matthews, No. 30 Grace street, Springfield.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Private Benjamin C. Wood, of No. 15 Roslindale street, Lynn, of Battery E, 101st Field Artillery.

SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Private Walter J. Nugent, of No. 8 Nugent street, Worcester, of Co. G, 101st Infantry.
Private Robert O. Ruede, Meriden, Ct.

PRISONERS.

(Previously Reported Missing.)
Sergeant Joseph P. Nolan, No. 62 Chestnut street, Hartford, Ct.
Sergeant Frank L. Smith, Revere.
Lieutenant Ralph M. Nobis, Galesburg, Ill., previously reported missing.

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The "Web-Feet"

By MORTON BIRGE.

Busting into battle scenes,
Spilling all the Teuton beans,
Wicked fighters, our Marines,
The "Web-Feet."

Oh, you Bird of Freedom's Sons,
Capturing the German guns,
Ripping through the savage Huns,
The "Web-Feet."

Makes no matter, sea or shore,
Always coming on for more,
Full of pepper to the core,
The "Web-Feet."

Sherman said that war was "——!"
Fritzy knows it extra well,
He'll remember quite a spell
The "Web-Feet."

FIERCE DUELS ON PIAVE AND THE TYROL FRONTS

Amsterdam, June 7.—Heavy artillery duels have developed on the Tyrol and Piave fronts in the Italian theatre of war, the Austrian War Office announced, according to a dispatch from Vienna today.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings, $51,328,888.
Boston Sub-Treasury, credit, $64,350.
New York bank clearings, $584,027,333.
New York Sub-Treasury, credit, $5,153,452.

FRAUDS OF HALF-MILLION IN SHIP WORK

Sensational Admission Made by U. S. Investigator in Brooklyn Scandal

By International News Service.

New York, June 7.—Admission that evidence of frauds, aggregating half a million dollars, has been brought to light through the government's investigation of the Brooklyn shipyards scandal, was made this afternoon by United States District Attorney Francis, who is conducting the inquiry.

Many loads of books and records seized by government detectives show that shipbuilding concerns under suspicion have padded pay rolls and have made excessive charges for labor. The records seized all related to government contracts and expenditures to the amount of $4,000,000.

The Todd Contracting Company and the Tebo Yacht Basin Company, a subsidiary, are among the firms under investigation, and there are others to be included. The prosecutor is conducting the raids on search warrants issued by U. S. Commissioner McGoldrick of Brooklyn.

Arlington Girl's Story of Battle for Life by Carolina Survivors

By PAUL HA RRIS DRAKE.

Wan and haggard following her terrible experience of forty-four hours without food or water in an open boat as a survivor of the Hun brutality which sunk the Porto Rican steamship Carolina, Miss Caroline D. Higgins of No. 7 Swan street, Arlington Centre, today told for the first time her own story of her harrowing ordeal.

Accompanied by her friend and companion, Miss Charlotte Perkins of Melrose, Miss Higgins arrived in Boston in a condition of near exhaustion, as a result of deprivation and exposure as one of the twenty-nine survivors of the Carolina's boat, which landed on the beach at Atlantic City late Tuesday.

How Miss Higgins, a frail school-teacher and educational executive of the San Juan High School in Porto Rico, hailed the sea from the storm-tossed boat, rowed at the oars for hours until ready to drop from exhaustion, and refused to touch either food or water until actually within

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70,000 OF RED GUARD TO SLAVE IN GERMANY

Copenhagen, June 7.—It is proposed to send 70,000 Red Guard prisoners from Finland to Germany for war work in munitions factories, according to information from Helsingfors. Seven thousand Red Guard prisoners have been killed by White Guards.

The White Guard forces in Finland are pro-German. They are now in control of the country. The Red Guards are anti-German.

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JOIN ALLIES IN COUNTER BLOWS ON BOTH SIDES OF SALIENT

American, French and British forces have started a big smash against the Huns on both flanks of the Marne River salient. French and American troops, continuing their successful attacks northwest of Chateau-Thierry, are reported from Paris as scoring advances in a furious battle which is stilll in progress. The Americans captured two towns, Torcy and Bouresches, inflicting big losses on the enemy. The French extended and improved their positions, both north and south of the Aisne, took prisoners in a raid west of Noyon and made successful thrusts near Montdidier.

The extent of the action is indicated by the French statement that the British rushed into the counter-offensive and captured ground between the Marne and Rheims on the eastern flank of the salient. The Americans clinched with the Huns in a terrific struggle on the Torcy-Belleau-Bouresches line northwest of Chateau-Thierry The plan of attack did not call for the Americans to get into Torcy. But our marines, after routing the Huns, swept on, entered Torcy village, and held it.

With the American Army at the Marne, June 7.--(9 a. m.)--Severe fighting northwest of Chateau Thierry with Americans engaged was still continuing early today.

American marines, who launched two successful attacks against the Germans yesterday, have gained all their objectives excepting at one point, where they were held up by a nest of German machine guns in a small wooded position on the right of our attack, called Bois de Balloir.

The original plan of attack did not call for us to enter the village of Torcy, but the marines swept on after routing the Germans, entering the village and holding it.

The Germans made repeated counter-attacks, but were unable to retake the village.

The sharpest encounter in last night's fighting occurred at Bouresches (13 miles south of Neuilly and just northwest of Chateau Thierry). There the American marines reached the edge of the village at dusk and swarmed in upon the German machine gun emplacements, annihilating the Boche gunners. The Germans were bayoneted at their guns, and others that attempted to make a stand in the streets were captured.

Numerous prisoners were taken.

Late Thursday night the Germans made a sudden counter-attack against the American infantry occupying positions to the right of the marines, forcing them to cede some ground at one point. Our men immediately delivered a counter-attack.

At dawn today (Friday) when the International News Service correspondent left the battlefield the American infantry was slowly driving the Germans back, despite a torrent of German shells that covered all the back area.

The Germans, at any early hour today, were confining themselves largely to "77's" and "165-millimetre" gas shells.

Our batteries were replying with the liveliest fire on the whole line.

Since midnight the earth has been rocking with our gun fire and the very air has been trembling with the violent concussion from exploding shells.

HUNS DRIVEN LIKE SHEEP, SAYS FORD

By BERT FORD,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

With the American Army at the Marne, June 7.—By a brilliant attack over a two and one-half miles front in the Neuilly sector of the Marne battle front, the American marines fighting alongside of the French extended their recent success in the same district by advancing three and one-half kilometers, approximately one and one-half miles.

The Americans now hold all the high ground in the battle area north west of Chateau Thierry.

The Americans fought with more than their old-time gallantry, going over the top whistling "Yankee Doodle."

All of the objectives were obtained by 7:45 o'clock this morning. Subsequently the day was marked by desultory skirmishing, but late in the afternoon another strong attack was organized and at 8 o'clock the marines lunged forward again.

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BRITISH, FRENCH AND YANKEES ALL GAIN

By ERNEST P. ORR,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Paris, June 7.—A further gain for the French and American troops fighting northwest of Chateau Thierry on the Marne front, was reported by the French War Office today.

There has been heavy fighting at various points between the Ourcq and Magne rivers.

The Americans advanced on the Torcy-Belleau-Bouresches line, after a furious struggle. Nearby the French delivered a strong assault, taking Hill No. 204.

(Hill No. 204 is in the same sector where American marines are fighting.)

The French have made fresh progress east of Neuilly-la-Poterie also.

Both to the north and south of the Aisne the French extended and improved their positions.

The British joined in the counter

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MARINES BAYONET HUNS AT GUNS IN BRILLIANT VICTORY ON MARNE

GERMANS ARE DRIVEN BACK LIKE SHEEP, SAYS FORD IN STORY OF BATTLE

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The second attack carried the Americans as far as the edge of the village of Torcy, 15 miles north of Chateau Thierry. The Americans now hold positions overlooking and commanding the railway that runs through that zone.

The doughboys gave the Germans a taste of the cold steel they will not forget in a hurry. They pressed forward with such fury that the Teutons were unable to withstand them and were completely routed. The Germans were driven like sheep from the crest of the high ground which was under attack.

Our men stopped at the foothills of a broad plateau overlooking a broad wheat field, where the Germans made futile counter attacks.

The French attacked at the same time as the Americans and they also were successful.

Today's operations by the Franco-American forces reversed conditions on the Marne. The allies now have the upper hand and the situation in a strategic sense has been greatly improved.

PROUD OF THEIR WOUNDS.

An American gunner who talked with some of our wounded in a dressing station, said:

"It almost made me cry to see the pluck and enthusiasm of the boys. They were as proud of their wounds as a bride is of her first baby. They smoked cigarettes and told each other how they had been 'winged.' In every instance they pleaded for a chance to get back to 'big Bertha,' as they called it.

"Not only do the Americans now hold all the high ground of any importance northwest of Chateau Thierry, but they have stabilized and straightened their lines.

"The French attack was delivered on the Americans' left, the Pollus taking 180 prisoners.

"The French were delighted at the work of the Americans.

German prisoners said they thought they were surprised to find Americans, whom they have grown to dread.

FOUGHT BEST PRUSSIAN TROOPS.

When confronted by fresh divisions as many days the boys have acquitted themselves nobly. These included Prussians of the highest and most efficient type.

Today the Jaegers got theirs from the Americans.

For several days previous to the big assault today the activities of the marines had been confined to minor operations.

The attack today began at 3:45 a. m., when the marines went forward with fixed bayonets. As the men rushed across the newly ploughed fields against the German positions they whistled and sang like light-hearted schoolboys. As they charged up the steep side of a hill they came under intense enemy fire from rifles and machine guns.

The glare of star shells, thrown up by German batteries, lighted up the sky. The weather was fine and clear.

NOT A MAN HESITATED.

One youngster who was wounded in both legs thus described the attack:

"We were ordered to go straight ahead whether we met machine gun fire or shells from 'Big Berthas' or anything else. Not a man hesitated. Our platoon was on the centre and we got by the flanks so that we had to fight the Boches in the rear and in front and on both sides. But we licked them to a frazzle. Holy smoke, but the machine gun bullets whistled. You would think that the grass was full of rattlers."

Private John H. Marks, of Thornton, Ark., a litter bearer, who took part in the fighting, in his peculiar way paid high tribute to the fighting abilities of the marines.

"We were in the rush," said Marks. "Talk about football. Say our fellows gained a dozen yards every push and kept on going. My but those buzzards from the navy (the marines) can shoot. All they wanted to do was squat down and blaze away.

"I saw a lieutenant who was wounded keep on leading his men until he grew faint. He refused to go to a dress ing station, was bit a second time, but stopped only long enough to put on a first aid bandage. He was wounded a third time before he went to the hospital. None of the wounds were serious. But there were lots like him.

TOOK WIND OUT OF GERMANS.

"Our fellows just naturally took the wind out of the Germans, and did not give them any chance to catch their breath. It was just like the fighting in the Civil War that I have read about. Charging in the open in a regular walk away for 'em.

The morale of the German prisoners is very low. They are thin and emaciated, and said they had not been fed in four days, owing to the inability of the commissary to deliver food under the fire of American artillery and machine guns. Few of them were equipped with helmets, but all carried new gas masks.

Details continue to filter back about the fighting. As the Americans charged up the slope of the hilly ground they had to walk over the bodies of many dead French and German soldiers.

The earth shook with the thunder of the bombardment that accompanied the infantry fighting. Where the correspondents were stationed the whine of shells was plainly audible. The great projectiles described a arc overhead and there would be a dull crash as they landed and exploded in the German lines.

Swallows and pigeons in the farm yards, accustomed to the sound of battle, paid no attention to the racket.

The ground was scattered with rusty remnants of shells from the first battle of the Marne, nearly four years ago.

FRENCH WOMAN COMES BACK.

A thirty-year-old French woman, hearing that the Americans held her parents' farm instead of the Germans, drove through the zone of fire to get a rag doll for her baby and also some family trinkets and papers. She arrived in a two-wheeled cart, being the only woman to reach the battle zone. Guards held her up, but she got by. When she arrived at the farm she rushed to the hen coop, where she fed the chickens and then patted the family cow on the nose. She found the American officers in the house toiling at typewriters and telephones. French officers were dining in the barn and American and French soldiers were sleeping on straw in the cow shed. In the meanwhile shells were raining down on the fields near by. The woman picked some lettuce and June roses before she left.

The fragrance of roses and peonies, which are blooming thickly on the Marne battle front, is heavier than the odor of gunpowder.

Distinguished Service by U. S. Troopers Wins Recognition on Firing Line

By NEWTON C. PARKE,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

With the American Army at the Marne, June 6.—(Delayed)—Among the latest American soldiers to receive decorations are the following:

Lieutenants Christian H. Holmes, George B. Redwood and Paul McLoud, Sergeant James A. Murphy, Captain Raymond C. Hollister, Corporals Henry I. Mongeay and Ernest Burch, and Privates Edward V. Armstrong, Bernard H. Holt and Carson L. Shumate.

Redwood and four members of his patrol won decorations for an exploit in a dangerous portion of the German trenches, where they were surrounded by double their own strength. However, the Americans captured four prisoners, making their way back to their own lines after fighting off a German rescue party. The four soldiers in Redwood's patrol were Mongeay, Armstrong, Holt and Shumate.

Holmes won the cross as leader of a patrol, displaying extraordinary coolness and daring. He crawled out through the strands of enemy entanglements, making his way to a German listening post, where he leaped upon the sentry. The German was captured and Holmes brought him back across No Man's Land.

Murphy helped out an exploit with coolness and nerve. He killed one of the German sentinels who fired upon his patrol leader.

Pastoral Scenes Crowd Close to the Shell-Swept Battle Front on the Marne

By NEWTON C. PARKE,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

With the American Army at the Marne, June 6.—(Delayed)—On which ever front Von Hindenburg strikes next, it may be expected that American troops will acquit themselves as bravely as in the Marne fighting or in the recent engagements near Montdidier (on the Picardy front). A motor ride behind the Marne battlefront on this sunny June day brings a transition from peace to war within a space of thirty minutes.

Our car, speeding along the dusty roads through the Marne battlefield of 1914, passed hundreds of little crosses, marking the burial places of French and German dead. At one point we crossed swampy ground where thousands of Germans had been slaughtered.

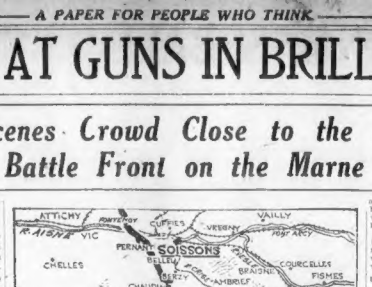
Unmindful of the rumble of guns, the pretty school teachers were out in a field of buttercups and peonies, combining a love of nature in the hearts of thirty red-cheeked French youngsters who were picking at buttercups petals and investigating the mysteries of peonies and poppies with the air of juvenile scientists.

PRISONERS ASLEEP IN FIELD.

In the same field lay fifty German prisoners, who had been captured near Chateau Thierry. They were worn out and were fast asleep, while French sentries stood guard over them.

Presently French infantry began dotting the roads, who laughed and shouted "Hop" as the car shot by them, because it stirred up so much dust.

Occasionally a huge train of trucks carrying munitions and supplies would rumble through villages half destroyed in the Marne fighting in 1914.



Section of the battlefront where American troops have driven back the Huns. Torcy, reported captured and held by the U. S. marines as they smashed through the German lines, is seen near Chateau Thierry.

Scattered here and there were British Tommies who drew off occasionally as American dispatch bearers flashed by on motor cycles that were humming with the speed of whirlwinds, amidst blinding clouds of white dust.

We soon found ourselves in villages immediately behind the battlefront, from which practically all of the civilians had fled at the German advance.

REFUSED TO LEAVE HER HOME.

In one quaint village a corpulent old woman with a white handkerchief around her head alone refused to flee. She stood at the gate of her little cottage, saying her hand and wishing all Americans good luck.

Now, as we approach the battle line we sweep through a town in which American ambulance men are billeted. In one place there is a crowd upon the street watching an air duel between German and French aviators.

In another ambulance men could be seen ducking for cover while Boche airmen were aiming to hit the billets. The result was only a few bombs which fell in fields, doing no damage.

The air was sizzling with dust and the booming of cannon became sharper.

GROUND TORN BY SHELLS.

The car mounted the top of a hill and turning sharply to the left we found ourselves on top of the southern ridge of a valley just south of Chateau Thierry. Just across the valley on the northern ridge, earth spouted skyward in miniature volcanoes as shells from enemy six-inch guns beat a rapid tattoo. The French guns were rocking the earth with their replies.

Another sharp descent and we had crossed a narrow bridge over the placid Marne. It was hard to realize that the source of this peaceful stream had been the scene of such terrible fighting, in which American machine gunners had played an important part.

Analysis of the War Situation Today

A change in the Hun tactics, in form of a drive in the St. Mihiel region, is indicated.

The Germans have not only been stopped at the Marne but are beginning to feel heavily the weight of the allied strength, especially along the western flank of the Marne salient.

The allies hit four times into the enemy lines between Noyon and the Marne. The most signal one of these local victories was that west of Chateau Thierry, where French troops and American marines drove the Germans back more than two miles. The terrific fighting of the American "wash-feet" is the main theme of today's field dispatches.

Where the Germans are held up in a drive they switch their offensive to a new district, as shown by the successive drives for Ypres, Amiens and Paris.

The moment that the drive for Paris was checked and Berlin began issuing its significant admissions of "situation unchanged," war observers began speculation as to where the next move would be made.

NOTE HEAVY TRAIN MOVEMENTS.

Report of increased artillery firing by the enemy on the northern part of the Picardy front and in Flanders raised the question whether this was preliminary to renewals of attacks along the upper stretches of the western field.

Now attention shifts suddenly to the lower end. American patrols have reported unusually heavy railway train movements, from northeast to westward, back of the German lines north-west of Toul.

Aerial scouts confirmed the reports of the infantry patrols, saying that they sighted several trains apparently headed toward St. Mihiel.

There is double importance for America in this report of Hun troops being brought forward on the Woevre plateau and toward the heights of the Meuse from Verdun down to St. Mihiel.

In addition to the general indication of a German smash in that region there is a particular interest for us because American troops are located on both flanks of the St. Mihiel salient.

CROSSES WOEVRE PLAINS.

From Verdun of bloody fame the present battle line runs south along the heights east of the Meuse river down to St. Mihiel, about 20 miles southeast of Verdun.

From St. Mihiel the line turns eastward in a right angle that forms the famous St. Mihiel salient. The line runs across the Woevre plain, between the Meuse and the Moselle, crosses the latter river and continues its easterly course until it bends southeast just before it reaches the German border.

In addition to holding the greater part of the sector along the Meuse hills north of St. Mihiel American troops are located east of St. Mihiel in the sector that has been generally described as "north of Toul."

It was at Seicheprey, twelve miles east of St. Mihiel, that "Our Boys" had their first important fighting when they drove invading Huns out of Seicheprey in a successful counter-attack.

ON INSIDE OF ANGLE AGAIN.

The great German base of Metz, where enemy troops are reported as arriving in large numbers, is only fifteen miles from the nearest part of the battle front, just east of the Moselle. The German side of the salient, from Verdun down to St. Mihiel over to the Franco-German boundary, is well served by railroad communications.

It will be noticed, too, that if the Huns start a heavy drive southward toward St. Mihiel, they will be on the inside of the angle, the same as they were when they were jamming their wedge from the Champagne down toward Paris. In maneuvering troops for mass attacks they will have the shorter swing to make, as compared with the allied forces on the outside of the St. Mihiel line.

On the other hand, the line from Verdun down to St. Mihiel makes a sharp salient eastward at Fresnes. Across the Woevre plateau the line, while bending slightly north, runs practically horizontal.

ALLIES GAIN IN BIG COUNTER-SMASH ON MARNE

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offensive, capturing ground between Rheims and the Marne river.

There were cannonades elsewhere on the front.

German lines were raided by the French west of Noyon and some prisoners were taken. Other successful raids were made near Montdidier.

(American troops are fighting south of Montdidier.)

Le Port, north of Aisne, has fallen into the hands of the French, the communique said. Further south Vinly was captured from the Germans. The Germans sustained heavy losses throughout.

The text of the official report follows:

"In the sector north of Montdidier and west of Noyon the French carried out successful raids, taking some prisoners.

"French troops captured Le Port, in the district west of Fontenoy, north of the Aisne river.

"South of the Aisne, near Ambleny, the French improved and extended their positions.

"The French have continued their local operations between the Ourcq and the Marne and made progress in the sectors of Veuilly-La-Poterie and Hisatrea.

"The French took Vinly and have occupied the northern part of Veuilly-La-Poterie.

"Further southward American troops made gains in the sectors of Torcy, Belleau and Bouresches.

(These places are northwest of Chateau Thierry.)

"The French have retaken Hill No. 204.

"British troops operating between Rheims and the Marne penetrated the village of Hilgen. Heavy losses were inflicted on the Germans.

"Elsewhere there was intermittent bombarding."

MARINE FLYER SETS NEW AVIATION RECORD

Miami, Fla., June 7.—After reading of the American marines' successes in France, Lieutenant F. L. Fleer made 160 successive loops at the marine flying field near here today. This breaks the record for military aviation.

BELIEVE DUTCH SHIP SUNK BY SUBMARINE

London, June 7.—Survivors from the Dutch hospital ship Koningen Regentes, which was sunk in the North Sea, declare that they saw the wake of a torpedo, said a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam today. It had previously been reported that the Dutch ship was sunk by a mine.

Owing to the death of
Mr. Frederick P. Stieff,
President of the firm of Chas. M. Stieff, Inc., of Baltimore, Md., the Boston warerooms at 123 Boylston Street will be closed all day Friday, June 7.

ARLINGTON GIRL TELLS OF ESCAPE AFTER CAROLINA WAS TORPEDOED

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sight of land, is here related for the first time.

MISS HIGGINS' STORY.

At her home today, Miss Higgins told the following story of her experience as a survivor of the ill-fated steamship sent to the bottom by German ruthlessness:

"Before going to dinner on the night of June 2, I noticed that the Carolina had changed her course for no apparent reason. That was the first intimation I had that anything was wrong.

"While finishing our soup course a gentleman at the table announced 'All lights out tonight by order of the Captain.' This remark aroused our suspicions a little, and we surmised that the change in the ship's course was due to some wireless information which he had picked up, unknown to the crew.

"Our apprehension was beginning to be aroused when, 'Boom,' a dull report was heard in the distance. Everybody was electrified! We stopped eating and each looked at the other. As we were death still, 'Boom'—another shot rang out over the water!

"Several men jumped from their seats and peered out of the windows. 'Submarine,' from one of the men on watch, sent us all to the main deck in a hurry. Dinner was forgotten in an instant. A thrill ran down my spine as another 'boom' reverberated through the low cabin.

SHELL PLOWED THE WATER.

"There was no confusion. We all wanted to see what was happening, that was all. Curiosity was our first instinct. As we gained the deck we could see a long, low craft speeding toward us from the eastern horizon.

"Suddenly there was a hissing shriek, as a shell from the submarine's forward gun plowed the water not more than twenty feet from the Carolina's side. Again there followed that same hollow report we had heard in the ship's saloon.

"Sharp orders were given to stand by the boats, each one in his place ready for any emergency. I had been assigned to boat 5 on the previous Thursday, and went quickly to my position.

"Everybody was talking in subdued tones and we were tense with excitement. Yet there was no panic, and no uproar. I thought of my pet coat which I had left on a steamer chair when I went to dinner, and I left my position long enough to secure it.

"All the while the submarine was coming closer and closer. The ship's engines had stopped when the second shot was fired, and there was little wind. So we drifted. Soon we could see the men and officers on the deck of the submarine. The U-boat started to come directly at us, and then veered off, seeming to a standstill near our stern. There were no commands given, and none of the U-boat crew came aboard.

EXPECTED SHIP TO SINK.

"We all expected to be torpedoed, and were getting impatient to swing the boats into the water. Without more ado we claimed in.

"Then the U-boat crew refused to lower the boats. They said they were waiting for the proper order. But the order never came. Instead, the men assigned to boat No. 2 took matters into their own hands and swung the boat clear and into the water. She struck the surface bow foremost, and shipped a lot of water before the man holding the stern would let go of his end. We were all wet to the waist with the icy water.

"There was no plug in the boat's bottom and the sea came bubbling in. Finally someone discovered the plug and stopped the hole with it. They threw us a pail to bail the boat with. Then the boat gradually rose. Some of us were seated on the thwarts with our feet on the floating water-keg while the bailing was in progress. Then men assigned to our boat came down the rope ladder after she was afloat.

"Manning the oars the men pulled away from the doomed ship. 'Hold on there!' came orders from somewhere. We followed the nine boats to the westward toward the Carolina's stern.

"Then the U-boat started forward and made a complete detour about the ship with the evident purpose to see that all the crew and passengers were safely off.

EIGHT SHOTS FIRED.

"We lost no time in getting out of harm's way, and all kept together. **The submarine hacked away from the Carolina and began to shell her almost immediately. Not a word of command was given by the U-boat commander or crew. It was most unreal.**

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

Walk through daily, save "the Basement way" and put the difference into War Saving Stamps

for graduation or confirmation

girls' white dresses
Daintily trimmed with lace or embroidery; some with embroidered flounces, others with trimmed overskirt and satin belt. Sizes 8 to 14. **$2.95**

Other white dresses with lace or embroidered panels and satin ribbon belt with bow in back. Sizes 8 to 14. **$3.45**

boys' serge suits
All wool, fast color. We refused $3.50 a yard for this serge! We bought the material at former prices and had it made up according to our own specifications. The coat has two top military pockets, all around belt with buckle and two slash pockets. For boys from 11 to 18. **$11.50**

girls' taffeta dresses
Many styles, some with lace collars, some with embroidery, others with shirring and tucks. Rose, navy, green, copenhagen. **$7.95**
Sizes 10 to 16 in the lot.

hats
for summer wear
White milans with georgette crepe facings, poke, sailors, side roll and other shapes with ribbons, flowers, fancy trimmings. Some with trade-parent home. **$2.95**

French voile waists
$3
A new lot, mostly samples, with dainty embroidery, lace, pin tucks and tiny pearl buttons.
A lot of rich grade georgette crepe waists trimmed with beads or embroidery **$3.95**

white shoes for thrifty women
Hundreds of pairs white canvas shoes. High shoes, plain toe, Cuban heel, with white kid or buck leather insoles. Sizes 2½ to 7. A to C widths in the lot. **$1.50**

AUTOMATIC PLAN
All goods here must sell at first prices or come down automatically 25% after 12 selling days, 50% after 18 selling days, 75% after 24 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days.

hundreds of other bargain lots

Borden's Evaporated Milk

You Serve When You Conserve

"But when you save, save wisely. Do not save at the expense of your health and the health of your family. Eat what is wholesome and nutritious as well as inexpensive. Use more milk in your cooking.

"Use Borden's Evaporated Milk because it is all pure milk; clean, sweet, sterilized and convenient.

"I here present a recipe for creamed chicken with rice which is at once delicious, nutritious and inexpensive. Such dishes conserve wisely."

Jessica C. Bailey allen
Specialist in Home Economics
Lecturer on Domestic Science

Mrs. Allen's Recipe
Put this in your card file. All measurements are level.

CREAMED CHICKEN WITH RICE

½ cupful Borden's Evaporated Milk, undiluted
2½ cupfuls diced cooked chicken.
2 tablespoonfuls barley flour or cornstarch.
Borden's Milk Substitute or chicken fat.
½ teaspoonful celery salt.
3 cupfuls boiled rice.
1½ cupfuls chicken stock.

Combine the flour and butter substitute in a saucepan and gradually stir in the stock and evaporated milk. Bring to boiling point, add the celery salt, a little onion juice if desired and salt and pepper to taste. Stir in the chicken, let stand over hot water for ten minutes and then serve in a border of the rice.

Your grocer has Borden's Evaporated Milk

Write for our "Recipe Book"

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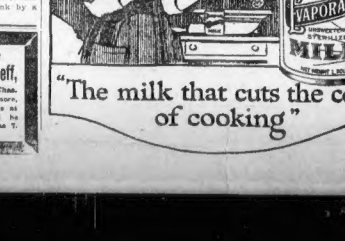

"The milk that cuts the cost of cooking"

WORK NOW UNDER WAY ON BASEBALL GRANDSTAND AT CAMP DEVENS

AMERICAN'S DRIVE FOR AYER ATHLETIC FUND A BIG WINNER

The Boston AMERICAN has made a huge success of its Camp Devens Baseball Fund. Today carpenters are at work on the big grandstand to be built on the baseball field, which, at the suggestion of Major-General Harry L. Hodges, has been located opposite the camp on part of the Major Samuel Willard farm at Ayer.

There also is being erected the other grandstand which once stood on Boston Common, and which was donated to the Devens Baseball Fund by Robert Weeks of the Liberty Loan Committee and seventy-nine friends, who bought it from the committee.

New England should feel proud of the results of this drive for the boys at Ayer. General Hodges, when he first made the suggestion to the AMERICAN that this paper ask the public to contribute to the fund, named $2,000 as the sum needed. But the ready response to the AMERICAN'S appeal has put in the hands of Lieutenant Robert C. Deming $4,230.40, contributed by the public in a little more than a month.

SOLDIERS GRATEFUL TO ALL.

Individual contributors appear in the list below, but there were many who gave of their time, offered their help in other ways, who were as directly contributors to the fund as those who sent in money. Among them were:

H. H. Frazee of the Red Sox, who allowed a group of professional women of Boston to take a collection at the Red Sox-Athletics game for the benefit of the fund.

Walter Hapgood, business manager of the Braves, who gave the use of Braves Field for the first legalized Sunday baseball game which was played there for the benefit of the fund.

Mrs. May Fiske Hoffman and Mrs. Marie Fanton, who got together the members of the Professional Women's Club of Boston, and others who took up the collection at each of these games.

The Mead Morrison Company of East Boston and the Carr Fastener Company of Cambridge, who through their employes added much to the fund by a ball game played at Wood Island Park. At the Douglas A. A. and the Armory A. A. contests good collections were taken for the fund.

Also the firemen and Selectmen of Franklin, the town of Milford, the telephone girls of Winchester who gaves dances for the fund. People in the town of Webster, who came through with three collections.

Frank M. Meagher of the Globe Theatre, who contributed 10 per cent. of a week's business of "Tarzan of the Apes," a big photoplay.

Many large firms sent in their checks and two unknown boys came into the American office and left two nickels to be added to the total. Downin in Rhode Island the Universal Winding Company sent in a contribution.

UNITED WORK WINS.

The windup of the drive, which culminated in a carnival and pageant at the Boston Arena on the night of May 11, was a great success and this was due directly to the generosity of Mrs. W. S. Butler and Lilla Vites Wyman through the repetition for this fund of Mrs. Butler's May festival, an event which has been held in Boston each year for over twenty years and which had been produced the week before at Mechanic's Building.

The success of this pageant was further assured by the generosity of "Gene" Brown, publisher of "This Week in Boston," who furnished a part of his office in the Globe Building, including telephone service in those who were working to get the pageant into shape. Others who contributed to this event were:

The mothers and children of the May festival, General Harry Hodges and the Camp Devens band, Major Loomis, her assistants and the Girl Scouts, Mr. Loomis, Eli Hoffman, the Boy Scouts, as well as the many others who assisted in the performance. Frank L. Archer of the Moxie Company, who gave the entire proceeds of the sale of Moxie to the fund.

C. H. Hood, of H. P. Hood & Sons; Harry Quint, dorist, and the Walton Lunch Company, who saw that the boys and girls were regaled; the members of the Vincent Club; also Oliver Ditson Company, Orrin Champlain, the Pilene Company, Charles E. Norris, Columbia Phonograph Company, C. E. Osgood Company, Jardson Piano Company.

The Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company, who assisted in the publicity, and last but not least the patrons and patronesses, who, by their ready response, especially financially, assured the success of the undertaking. "Gene" and Camp Devens will many times in the future have cause to appreciate the assistance that made possible the hoped for athletic field and stands.

The Boston Elevated Company kindly allowed the use of the change making machine at the Arena for the making of change for the war tax at this performance. Manager Lennon of the Arena gave the use of the hall at half price; John Quincy Adams, formerly manager of the Boston Museum, gave his services.

The firms who advertised in the program for this pageant were:

MERCHANTS ON THE LIST.

W. G. Gay & Co., Fenway Brewries, Lunt Moss Co., D. P. Erlich, Durgin Park Co., Hotel Haymarket, Batchelder & Snyder, Talbot & Co., H. D. Foss Co., Power Heating Co., Graham Shoe Co., Hotchkin & Co., Cooley & Marvin Co., A. Stowell, Inc., Chandler & Co.

Kensington Tea, American Trust Co., Blackstone Dining Room, B. Whiting & Son, Hotel Thorndike, Rose Tea Room, Pilgrim Lunch, Nettleton Shoe Co Ridgway Cons. Co., Gingerbread Lunch, State St. Trust Co., Frye Phippa & Co., International Trust Co., J. Reed Whipie, Macullar Parker Co., Bigelow, Kennard Co., Shreve, Crump & Low.

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Within a few weeks from now the friends of the men at Ayer who wish to witness military reviews, or the men themselves who, on Saturday afternoon, wish to see a ball game between two of their teams, will not have to stand on a flat field to do it, craning over the heads of others, but will be able to sit in a comfortable and shaded grandstand. Similarly, the players, after the game, will have clean dressing rooms, cool showers, and lockers for their clothing.

And for all this they can thank the people of Boston and New England, who, when told of the need by the Boston AMERICAN, came through nobly. The Boston AMERICAN, having turned the money over to Lieutenant Deming, who was appointed by General Hodges to receive it, wishes to thank the people of New England for their ready response to the appeal.

Following is the complete list of contributors:

LIST OF CONTRIBUTORS.

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Chas. E. Wheelock	1.00
Harding Uniform Co.	5.00
Harding Uniform Co.	5.00
Mrs. J. J. Mason	2.00
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Boston Clerk's Office	5.00
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Boston Elevated Employees	1.50
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John H. Dunn Club	20.00
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Bronze Statue	2.00
Anonymous	2.00
Douglas A. C. of Chelsea	60.76
Grand Opera House (wrestling bouts)	65.00
Kate M. Morse	2.00
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Mrs. J. Martell	5.00
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M. J. Gaffney	5.00
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Collected at Red Sox game, Fenway Park	332.80
J. J. Tigue Co.	5.00
Charles Cotton	5.00
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Fred W. Dresser	5.00
E. A. Scanlon	.50
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"Dick" Sears	.50
Norman J. Ware	.50
Thomas O. McEnaney	2.00
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Mrs. Sullivan	.50
Harry Cutler	5.00
D. S. Sedgley, Webster	10.00
H. C. Keay	2.00
Frank H. Clark	5.00
Court George Peabody, F. of A., Peabody	5.00
Daniel L. Dudley	1.00
Mass. Assn. Agents of Webster and Dudley Theatre	60.36
Collected at Knights of Columbus Ball, Webster	21.28
Webster Social Club, Webster	4.62
Wm. Hall and others, Webster	5.00
Collected at Old Colony Driving Club, Dedham	10.75
Mrs. Thomas Staff	10.00
Collected at Armory A. A.	210.00
Collected by Cambridge Associates	5.00
Mrs. Sullivan	5.00
Some D. Jim	.50
Boys of Lakeville Sanitarium	3.50
"Tarzan of the Apes," Globe Theatre	100.00
R. H. Gibbons	10.00
Collected at Army-Navy game, Braves Field, April 28	1,221.86
Plumbers Union, No. 745, Malden	5.00
Carr Fastener Company	115.91
Mead Morrison Manufacturing Company at Wood Island Park	420.44
L. E. S. Reese, Ezra Warsham	5.00
Nelson Leith, Jr.	5.00
The Winchester Telephone Girls	60.00
Alumnus	5.00
Collected at Firemen's Ball, Franklin	73.62
Collected Dewey Square Alleys	19.00
Collected at Knights of Columbus Ball, Dedham	27.75
Retail Advertising Publishing	5.00
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Unknown Boy	.05
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Alvin Clark	1.00
Anonymous (Malden)	1.00
Stanley J. Gallagher	5.00
Collected at Dedham	52.87
George L. Griffin & Son	100.00
Selectmen of Milford	118.70
Collected at Wrestling Bouts, Arena	649.50
Everett Press, Inc.	16.50
Total and exact total of all contributions and receipts	$4,230.40

Griffith Gave Boys Two Cases of Baseballs and Bats for Camp Use

Among the contributions received for the Camp Devens fund were two cases of bats and balls from Clarke Griffith of the Washington ball club and father of the idea that the great American game is the best thing for the soldier boys.

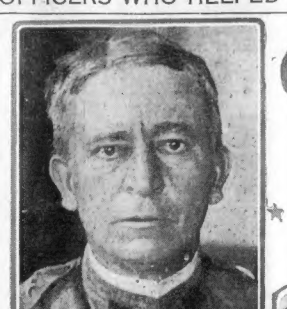
Manager Griffith forwarded to the Boston AMERICAN office several dozen bats and an equal number of balls, and they were in turn sent to the officials at Camp Devens.

Mr. Griffith also took a leading part in staging a bowling tournament at the Dewey square alleys, where several of the leading Red Sox and Senators bowled, and which netted a tidy sum.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

BELL-ANS
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

AYER OFFICERS WHO HELPED DRIVE; GRANDSTAND PLAN



Major-General Harry L. Hodges, commander of Camp Devens, Ayer, who supported the move to raise the baseball fund, and below the proposed grandstand now in coruse of construction on the Willard Farm, opposite the cantonment, made possible through the fund of over $4,000 contributed by loyal ball fans and others for the benefit of U. S. Army draftees.

Lieutenant Robert C. Deming, treasurer of the Boston American's Camp Devens' Baseball Fund, to whose personal efforts, at the expense of much valuable time, the success of the project to raise money enough to erect a grandstand for the soldiers' games at Camp Devens, was in a large measure due.

HARPATHIAN WAS SUPER U-BOAT VICTIM

carreaf in marine circles here this afternoon that the steamship Argonaut, registering 2,623 tons, and carrying 16,000 bales of cotton from New Orleans to Havre, had been sent to the bottom by a German submarine. The report, however, is absolutely without confirmation.

By International News Service.

Washington, June 7.—The British steamship Harpathian, which was torpedoed off the Virginia capes Wednesday, was sent to the bottom by a super-submarine, according to a statement by the captain and announced by the Navy Department this afternoon. The submersible that made the attack was described as being between 250 and 300 feet long. The captain saw no torpedo until the vessel was struck.

Shortly after the vessel sank the submarine appeared, and the German commander came out of the conning tower and asked if every one was saved.

The captain replied that all but one fireman who was hurt, had been rescued. The engineman was then taken aboard the submarine, his injuries dressed and then returned to the lifeboats.

An American brand of tobacco was then distributed by the German to the crew of the torpedoed ship.

The captain of the Harpathian counted thirty-seven men on the submarine, and also observed two guns of about six-inch calibre, mounted on the deck, fore and aft.

The American Navy will take care of the "damned devils of the sea." Senator Ben Tillman, chairman of the Senate Naval Affairs Committee, told the Senate this afternoon in assuring them that the submarine attacks of the past week will not be continued.

Senator Tillman stated that he had requested Secretary Daniels for a public statement as to what was being done to check the submarines. He read a letter from the Secretary stating that such a statement would be unwise, but that Senator Tillman might give assurance that "everything possible is being done."

"I want to assure those that are panic stricken that there is no need for panic," Senator Tillman told the Senate. "We have a navy that is up to snuff and the American navy will hunt these damned devils down on the sea and protect the seacoast cities, too."

AMERICANS SMASH HUNS IN NIGHT RAID ON TRENCHES

Washington, June 7.—Attempts of the enemy to raid American trenches under cover of night are meeting with little success, according to General Pershing's communique this afternoon. Section B of the communique describes an attack by a German patrol.

"In Picardy," it states, "during the night of June 2-3, a hostile patrol of one officer and thirty men attempted to raid one of our listening posts. The men in our post opened fire, killed the German officer and returned to our lines without suffering any loss."

FATHER OF 6 CHILDREN ACCUSED OF THEFT

Louis Pellegrini, brakeman and widowed father of six children, was held in $4,000 in the federal court today for June 14 on a charge of stealing $6 worth of bar chocolate from a New Haven road freight car.

N. H. CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION ADJOURNS

Concord, N. H., June 7.—The New Hampshire Constitutional Convention, which assembled Wednesday, voted this afternoon to adjourn until some time within a year after the close of the war, the time of reconvening to be fixed by a committee composed of the president of the convention and one member from each county.

UKRAINIA AND BOLSHEVIK ENVOYS ARE NEAR BREAK

Zurich, June 7.—A rupture in the peace negotiations between Ukrania and the Bolshevik envoys representing the rest of Russia is imminent, according to information from Kiev.

World's Record as U. S. Launches 71 Ships in May

By International News Service.

Washington, June 7.—Launching seventy-one hulls, aggregating 344,450 deadweight tons during May, American shipyards created a world's record, the Shipping Board announced today. The record beats by 102,520 tons the highest monthly average ever attained by the United Kingdom, which was in 1918, and tops by 199,325 the British monthly average for 1917.

PARIS AWAKENED AGAIN BY HUN AIR ATTACK

By International News Service.

Paris, June 7.—After a respite of several nights the German airmen again attacked Paris last night, killing one person and wounding several others.

Some material damage was done.

The people were awakened shortly before midnight by the alarm sirens and heavy artillery firing.

Twenty aeroplanes had crossed the line, flying in the direction of Paris. Ward was flashed to the defensive posts, and the high angle gunners put up an intense aerial barrage. The curtain of fire was intense.

The interval between the "alerte" signal and the "all clear" was shorter than usual, the latter being sounded at 1 o'clock this morning.

MORE FINES IMPOSED ON DEALERS IN MILK

Fines of $15 each were imposed upon Frank A. Dow of Brookline, Charles E. Herlihy of Rutherford avenue, Charlestown, and S. Kanter of Albany street in Roxbury court today for having milk below the standard. Fines of $10 each were imposed on Nellie Scahill of Roxbury, Susan Bradfield of St. Alphonsus street, Paul Markowski of Albany street, William L. Watson of Keelia street, Bertha Mominsky of Albany street and J. S. Cohen of Albany street.

PASTOR HANAFORD, 83, WED SUNDAY NIGHT

Lancaster, June 7.—Rev. Charles H. Hanaford, the eighty-three-year-old retired Methodist minister who disappointed a gathering of friends when he did not put in appearance at People's Temple, Boston, Wednesday night, to be married to Mrs. Hattie E. Getchell, fifty-nine, of Boston, announced that they were married at his home here last Sunday night.

DEFENCES OF PARIS TO BE STRENGTHENED

Paris, June 7.—The defences of this city are to be strengthened. President Poincare has decreed the formation of a committee on defence, of which General Dubail, the Military Governor of Paris, is to be president.

Big Red Cross Aid by N. E. Factory Employes

While detailed figures are unavailable delayed, it is now certain that New England's contribution to the Red Cross War Fund is greatly in excess of its quota.

One of the significant phases is the response of the factory employes of Boston and other New England industrial centres, such as the Gillette Safety Razor Company, the largest razor manufacturing plant in the world, producing 20,000 Gillette safety razors a day, more than thirty-five miles of blades every day. Every one of the Gillette employes contributed, in a total of $3,783, besides $50,000 contributed by the company itself. The Gillette employes also subscribed $70,000 to the Third Liberty Loan and the company $300,000.

As one of the Gillette employes put it in a Red Cross collector: "When you've seen nearly eighty of your shop mates leave good jobs here and go over with the Old Flag you've just got to back 'em up, that's all!"

BANDAGED FINGER LEADS TO ARREST IN GEM THEFT

A bandage on a finger led to the arrest of William R. Evans, who will be brought back to Boston from New York tonight to face a charge of stealing $2,000 worth of diamonds from F. J. Butler, Inc., No. 501 Washington street, on the day of the Red Cross parade a week prior to the larceny and escape of the robber. Police Inspectors Sullivan and Haggerty searched a house in Somerville, following the arrest of John J. Mullen and Marie White on charges of breaking and entering. The inspectors found Evans and took him to police headquarters, where he was photographed. Evans was turned over to the Federal authorities for draft registration and released. While the police were looking for him with a banged finger Evans was recalled that Evans answered that particular description.

FIRST ARMY CLASS AT FRANKLIN UNION

The first class, 134 men, of Franklin Union Training Detachment, National Army, was graduated at Franklin Union auditorium after two months' intensive study of auto mechanics. They will be sent to various branches of the national army.

184 SICK AND WOUNDED ARRIVE HERE IN A WEEK

Washington, June 7.—Sick and wounded United States soldiers numbering 184 were landed in this country during the week ending May 31. They were sent to army hospitals. The previous week sixteen arrived.

MAKE THREAT TO HURL 'PACIFIST' FROM TRAIN

Passengers on a New Haven train from Boston to Brockton were on the point of throwing John Anderson, fifty-nine, of Whitwell street, Quincy, from the train, when he made remarks which were construed by some of his hearers as seditious. He apologized, and was allowed to ride to Quincy, where he was turned over to the police.

In court today it was charged that he had said that the war was a fiasco, that he did not intend to be drafted. He was fined $15 for drunkenness and was allowed to go, after warning that he must be more discreet in his remarks.

U. S. SHARPSHOOTERS PLUCK UHLAN RIDERS

With the American Army at the Marne, June 7.—German prisoners say that they have heard much about the marksmanship of the American soldiers. On the right of the American fighting front a party of thirty-five Uhlan cavalrymen were discovered by an American infantry lieutenant. He rallied together a detachment of machine gunners directing them to account for every horse and rider. Only one German escaped with his life.

It is too good to keep Silent about—
"SALADA"
TEA—in Sealed Packets

Platinum in Hun Hands, Says Rainey in House, Scoring War Adviser

By International News Service.

Washington, June 7.—Asserting that facts he presented justify "the strong suspicion that the platinum industry of the United States has been controlled by Germany," Representative Rainey of Illinois today made a direct attack on the floor on Charles Englehard, the chief adviser o the war industries board on platinum dealing.

The Illinois Representative traced Englehard's family connections, with the design of showing that he had very close German connections. Englehard, according to Rainey, was in absolute control of five firms, handling eighty per cent. of the platinum supplies of the United States. They were Baker & Co., Newark, N. J.; the American Platinum Works, the Irvington Smelting and Refining Company; the Charles Englehard and the Hanovia Chemical Company.

"Englehard," said Rainey, "was born in Hanau, Germany, and controls the firm of W. C. Heraeus, Hanau, Germany, the largest dealers in platinum in the world. His wife is the daughter of W. C. Hereaus and her six brothers are in the German army.

"Although he came to the United States only five years ago, he was not naturalized until 1906, when Germany was preparing in so many different ways for her entry into this war."

Rainey declared that the books and letter files of Charles Engelhard at No. 20 Church street, New York, were guarded by the Holmes electric protector.

"The books and papers of the disloyal I. W. W. were not protected by such devices," said Rainey. "If they had been contained in offices in the west city of New York and were protected in this way, their seizure by secret service agents would have been impossible for reasons every member of Congress understands."

GETS MYSTERIOUS MONEY.

Rainey dealt for a moment with the fashionable way in which Englehard lives, and added: "It would require millions to swing the business of the four firms he controls, yet the commercial agencies are unable to obtain a satisfactory statement as to his business, not as to the source of the large sums he must have to control the platinum business of the United States."

He told of the adventure of a representative of a commercial agency who forced his way to Englehard's inner office.

"He did not find him there, but did find there, apparently in control of the office, a German alien named Von Broek, who at that time frequently received from unknown sources sums of money, usually amounting to $6,000, which he disbursed to Germans out of employment because of war conditions. Von Broek is now interned at Ellis Island."

To show Englehard's connection with the war industries board, Rainey produced a copy of a card signed and filed by Engelhard with the New York Chemists Club. It contained this quotation:

"I am personally with the War Industries Board every Tuesday to consult as regards platinum matters."

TIME FOR HARD TO SAY.

"I am unwilling to believe the War Industries Board fully understands the influences which surround the adviser upon whom they have depended since their organization," he said. "I have shown that the board in its conservation efforts and its insufficient commandeering orders have had bad advice, and unless sufficient commandeering orders are made at once the matter ought to be taken completely out of their hands and turned over to some competent governmental agency."

Rainey took occasion to score the efforts of the jewelers' vigilance committee in defeating the 25% per cent. tax on platinum jewelry proposed in the last revenue bill and in encouraging the laxity of the war industries board with regard to platinum "for the benefit of the profiteers."

As soon as Rainey made his speech it was asserted by the War Industries Board that Engelhard has no official connection with the board. B. H. Conners, who is in charge of the platinum division of the board, stated that despite the impression in the trade, Engelhard has never had any official connection with the board.

ARMY CONFERENCE OVER N. E. COAST DEFENCES

Coast defences are getting careful attention from the army and navy. Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander M. Johnson of Narragansett Pier, R. I., held today a long conference with Brigadier-General John W. Ruckman on Rhode Island defences. Colonel Charles P. Bennett district commander of the Department of the Northeast reported for the coast defences around Boston. Captain James P. Parker of the First Naval District has just returned from an inspection tour of the coast from Machias, Me., to Chatham, Cape Cod.

FINED FOR POOLROOM FIGHT IN EAST BOSTON

Domenico Chianis of Orient avenue, East Boston, was fined $50 for assault and battery on Enio Rappolo of Sumner street, in East Boston Court today. In a general melee in a poolroom adjoining a saloon owned by Chianis in Maverick square, Rappolo's nose was broken, and Chianis received a knife wound from some unknown person.

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AUTO OUTPUT IS HIT BY BOARD'S STEEL ORDER

Making of Pleasure Cars Must Give Way to Essential War Industry Needs

By International News Service.

Washington, June 7.—Non-essential industries have been cut off from steel and iron by action of the War Industries Board, in agreement with the American Iron and Steel Institute. The order is effective at once.

No manufacturer not producing for the war will be permitted to have iron or steel unless every war requirement has been satisfied, and the director of steel supply reports that the United States and the Allies will require all the steel that can be produced this year.

Expansion of the iron and steel manufactories of the country is to be brought about systematically to take care of the increasing war needs. A committee of the Institute, with H. Leonard Replogle, steel director, will study the needs of every department and agency and make a report, with recommendations for the stimulation of iron and steel production.

SHIPS, AIRCRAFT, MUNITIONS.

The entire steel supply of the nation will be under absolute government control by priorities, the material to be distributed only in the following order, subject to changing conditions:

Ships, aircraft, munitions.

Military and navy supplies and operations.

Steel for the production of fuel for essential uses.

For the production of food and for collateral industries.

For clothing manufacturing, railroads, public utilities.

The manufacture of automobiles for pleasure purposes is the largest industry cut off from supplies. This means there will be no more pleasure cars made during the war. Already the automobile industry faced suspension through the restriction of chrome ore imports to the absolute needs of the government, in order to have ship tonnage, and chrome ore is essential to automobile steel. Now the stoppage of pleasure car making is certain.

CANNOT SUPPLY BOTH.

Bernard M. Baruch, chairman of the War Industries Board, made the following statement in answer to an inquiry concerning the automobile industry:

"There will not be enough steel for both war needs and civilian needs. The steel needed for war purposes will not be curtailed. The supply for civilian needs must be. If there should be any surplus, it will be distributed equally among all non-essential industries."

That there will be no such surplus is indicated not only by Director Replogle's statement that the war will require every ton, but also by the fact that the steel mills have now on their books unfilled orders for steel approximating 17,000,000 tons, which is more than half the entire product for the first year of the war.

Furthermore, the steel production in prospect is so inadequate for the known war needs, especially for ships, which heads the list as the most essential item of war needs, that Charles S. Schwab, director-general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, has given much of his time to the expansion of steel production.

Under head of military and naval operations is included building construction for government needs and equipment for the same; under the head of food is included all tools, utensils, implements, machinery and equipment required for production, harvesting and distributing, milling, preparing, canning, refining, of both feeds and foods, also collateral industries such as making binder twine, fertilizers, insecticides and fungicides, containers and equipment for food preservation and refrigeration. The term "railroads" embraces other necessary transportation equipment, including water transportation.

MUST CONSIDER PRIORITY.

No steel manufacturing supply or facility may be used, even after filling or providing for all orders covered by priorities certificates, unless the additional orders are for manufactories embraced within the priorities list.

Provision is made for non-essential industries only after every need of the preferred list has been taken care of, under the certified orders of priority or by the secondary provision of war uses not necessarily certified, and then only by written permission of the steel director after formal application. Whatever is left after meeting the direct and indirect war requirements of the United States and the Allies shall be equally distributed among the industries not engaged in war work.

SCOUT MASTER FREED AFTER NEAR LYNCHING

Auburn, N. Y., June 7.—The trial of Lynn Townsend of Weedsport, scout master, upon serious charges made by members of his troop which resulted in his being mobbed and nearly lynched was brought to an abrupt halt when Judge Greenfield directed an acquittal. Townsend will be tried at once on two other indictments.

PREPARES CELLAR FOR USE IN CASE OF AIR RAID

Newport, R. I., June 7.—Captain Hugh Willoughby, aeronautical engineer, has prepared his cellar for use in case of a German air raid. He advised everybody else along the sea coast to do the same.

HUB'S RICHEST GIRL, ONLY 17, HAS $5,200,000

And So Mary Weld Naturally Asks Court for Aid to Handle Her Fortune

A fortune of $5,200,000 in her own right and only seventeen years of age!

Is it any wonder that Miss Mary Weld, Boston's richest girl, has asked for help in handling so much money?

Miss Weld is heiress to the famous Weld estate in Boston and Brookline. Her father was the late Charles Goddard Weld of this city and Newport, R. I. He provided in his will that Mary should inherit his entire estate, generous provision having been made for her mother.

With more money than she knows what to do with, Miss Weld, with her mother's advice, has applied to the Norfolk County Court to appoint two guardians to help her take care of her fortune.

Colonel William A. Gaston and J Edwards Harlow of Boston and Mrs. Hannah P. Weld, Mary's mother, have petitioned the court "that they or some suitable persons be appointed guardians of Mary Weld, as there is occasion for the appointment of guardian or guardians." Miss Mary's birthday is given as April 3, 1901.

The petitioners have each filed a bond for $250,000, and they declare that "to the best of their knowledge and belief" that the estate does not exceed $4,000,000 in personal and $200,000 in real estate.

Messrs. Barrett Wendell, Jr., Addison B. Brown and Robert Elmer Townsend are suggested in the petition as appraisers.

Boston's richest girl lives with her mother in a beautiful residence on Goddard avenue, corner of Cottage street, Brookline. They also have a residence in the Back Bay, a Summer home at North Haven, Me., and another home in New York at Briarsville Manor.

Miss Weld and her mother are now on a little vacation trip, which will take her to her New York home.

Miss Weld will come into her fortune four years from now, when she is twenty-one.

NEW YORK DARKER THAN EVER; POLICE ON ALERT

New York, June 7.—This city was darker than ever last night, the lights on bridges over East River being dimmed. This was done on account of the possibility of air raids from German submarines visiting the United States coast. Street lights on main thoroughfare were reduced 75 per cent, and office buildings were darker than the two previous lightless nights. Special orders were issued to the police to be unusually vigilant, lest robbers take advantage of the darkness.

Saturday Specials

Blouse Sale

Voile Slip-Over Models

$1.98

Sheer fluffy White and colored Voiles, Lingeries, Organdies, Corded Lawns—some trimmed with lace, embroidered, tucked—others in stunning plain tailored effects.

Separate Sport Skirts

New Arrivals—Specially Priced

$2.98 and $5.98

Washable Gabardines, Bedfords, Basket Weaves, Washable Corduroys, Quilted Cloth and Fashion's newest recruits—Turko Cloth—Cordelines, Repps, Piques, Washable Satins.

Beautiful Summer Dresses

Mid-Summer Models—Prettier Than Ever

$6.98 and $10.98

As soft and downy as a Summer cloud! Sheer Voiles in "all-over" figure patterns resembling Foulard—Checks, Ginghams, Scrim, Crepe Tissue, Marquisette and combinations—Organdies, Linens.

Coats for Summer Girls

Delightful Summer-weight Sport coats—indispensable for beach or mountains, as well as chilly evenings in the city. Sport jackets, Johnny coats, motor and chasseur coats—Serges, Poplins, Velours, Tweeds. $15

Sale of Silk Dresses

The Values Are Extraordinary

$12.75

Specially for Saturday—new Summer Silks—Just arrived, but deliberately underpriced—Taffetas, Satins, Crepe de Chines, Georgette combinations, Silk Ginghams —newest designs and trimmings.

No Charge for Alterations

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Balance of the Blue Serge Coats Ready. All Expensive Goods.

$3.75—$5.75—$6.75

164 Pair Men's Palm Beach Pants . . $3.00

460 Pairs Men's Flannel Pants . . . $4.00

86 Men's Suits $8.75

148 Men's Suits $12.00

320 Men's Suits $15.00

Porousknit Shirts and Drawers . . . 45c

Nainsook Union Suits 45c

Thousands of Sport Shirts 50c
So many we can't countem

BOYS' CLOTHING

More Boys' Wash Suits . 50c, 95c, $1.45
More Boys' Norfolk Suits, $3.75, $5.75 to $10.75
More Boys' Blouses . . 25c, 45c and 55c
Boys' Summer Union Suits . . 35c and 65c

MEN'S SHOES

1 Lot of Men's Sample Oxfords (Goodyear Welts), Tan, Gun Metal and Patent Leather. Sizes 5 to 7 . . . . . $3.50

Men's Coco Tan Oxford (Goodyear Welt), English Drop Toe . . . $3.75

Men's Leather Puttees. Sizes 14 in. to 16 in $2.75

Men's Tan Scout Shoes, high cut lace $3.00
Boys' Tan Scout Shoes, high cut lace, 1 to 6 . . . . . $2.00
Youths' Tan Scout Shoes, high cut lace, 11 to 13½ $1.85

TENNIS SHOES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Men's White and Tan, High or Low 95c
Boys' White and Tan, High or Low 95c
Youths' White and Tan, High or Low 70c
Women's White and Tan, High Heel or No Heel 95c
Women's White Oxfords, Heel or No Heel 85c
Misses' White Oxfords 70c
Children's White Oxfords 60c
Children's Tan High Cuts 80c
1 Lot Children's Kid Lace with White Kid Tops, sizes 5 to 8 . . . . . 95c

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LAWRENCE MAN ENLISTS IN U. S. AVIATION CORPS

Lawrence, June 7.—James A. Donovan, counsel for the Allied Trades Council, library trustee, member of the Constitutional Convention and authority in the law on labor difficulties, has enlisted in the Aviation Corps and will report for duty at once. Although he is in class five, owing to his membership in the Constitutional Convention, he says he owes his country more than his career and wants to do his bit. He was a member of the State Board of Arbitration, receiving his appointment from ex-Governor Walsh.

RECESS SALARY 'SNAPS' HIT BY AMENDMENT

Constitutional Convention Is Asked to Stop Legislative Committee Practice

The Constitutional convention, which assembles Wednesday, will be urged to adopt an amendment to prohibit members of the Legislature from serving upon recess committees for pay.

The amendment has been introduced by former Representative Joseph Leonard of Boston. It provides:

"No person hereafter elected to a legislative department of the government shall receive a salary or compensation for service on any recess committee, commission or other office created in whole or in part by action of the body of which he was chosen a member."

Mr. Leonard expects that the session of the recent Legislature, when President Wells in the Senate and Speaker Cox in the House passed out $61,000 worth of plums in the shape of recess committee appointments, will give impetus to the amendment.

SOFT JOBS FOR 51 MEN.

Six recess committees were created. They make *soft* jobs for fifty-one members. Each one is paid $1,000. He sits in the recess, "studies" some subject and reports his recommendations to the next Legislature, which can throw all the recommendations out the window.

There are about one hundred State commissions in Massachusetts. They cover every field of civic endeavor. Opponents of the recess committee system assert that the subjects ought to be referred to the permanent commissions to study.

They find a worse evil in the system. They say it enables the crowd in charge of the legislative machine to control the votes of any legislators sufficiently servile to worship at the throne of a $1,000 job.

Another interesting amendment provides for the abolition of the State Senate. It was introduced by Matthew Hale, chairman of the National Progressive Committee.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS.

There are about 355 proposed amendments demanding acceptance or rejection by the delegations. Among the more prominent are these:

Woman suffrage.
State prohibition.
Biennial elections.
Abolition of the Governor's Council.
Abolition of the "Big Four" State offices and the creation of the cabinet system.
Proportional representation.
Authority to levy a graduated income tax.
Abolition of county commissioners.
Authorizing the Governor to veto specific items in appropriation bills.
That women shall be eligible to appointment as notaries public.

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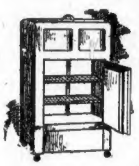

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Galvanized iron. **Priced at 40c, 65c, 75c, 95c**

Nursery Refrigerators and Water Coolers

Finished in white enamel. No. 1 size, 16½x12¼x12 in. high. Galvanized tubing.

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For cleaning drain pipes, long wire handle.

Priced at 50c

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Grand model *(illustrated at right)*, hardwood case, pure baked white provision chamber, clean as china, non-absorbent, sanitary; 45 inches high, 19 inches deep, 33 inches wide. Ice capacity 75 pounds.

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Best of all they represent extraordinary values because they are made from cloth bought last August. Youbenefit by our saving then over the wholesale cost today which, by the way, is much more than the price we are asking.

Not the so-called "outing" suits of uncertain future, but exceptionally well-made and serviceable garments. Humid days won't cause them to pucker, lose shape and wrinkle—in fact they are almost wrinkle-proof.

Now, men—if you want a trim-looking Summer Suit at a rare saving you need look no farther than this sale at 15.75.

Last Minute Buyers

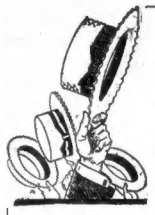
SOME men put off buying until the last minute. They wait until almost train time.

These men generally come to our great Men's Store because they know we are always ready with just what they want.

We enjoy this reputation and try to live up to it.

But we sometimes feel that some of our patrons would be better satisfied if they took more time.

So we suggest that you drop in today when you have plenty of time and make your choice of your vacation requirements.



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Men's Jajamas of soisette, in blue, tan and white, finished with frogs..3.50

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Chu Chin Chow Ties, light weight, Summer colors, exclusive with us..45c

Soft Collars with Tie to Match, made of silk, in smart stripe effects, 1.00

Men's Outing Shirts, with attached collars, attractive stripes and white, mercerized cotton 1.50

Men's Madras Shirts, soft or stiff cuffs 2.50

Men's Jacquard Madras Shirts, neat woven stripes, also satin stripes...2.50

Men's Silk Shirts, new patterns, handsome fabrics, 5.00, 6.50, 8.50 and 10.50

Men's Oxfords for Summer Wear

So many good styles, so many good fitting qualities that buying is made but the work of a few minutes. A wide range of right prices.

Men's Brown Oxfords, invisible eyelets, welt soles 5.00
Same style Gun-Metal Calf, 5.00

Men's Black Calf Oxfords, Neolin sole, English last....6.00

Men's Brown Russia Oxfords, Broadway last 6.00

Men's Blucher Oxfords, brown Russia calf, wide toe, yet sightly 7.50

Men's Brown Russia Calf Oxfords, English last; a young man's number 7.50

Men's Nut Brown Russia Oxfords, custom last. A Newark model 9.50

Men's Tan Russia Oxfords, also Blucher Oxfords in large range of lasts .....9.00 and 9.50
Same style in Gun-Metal Calf,

Keep Cool Underwear and Light Hosiery

Men's Madras Union Suits, knee length, sleeveless, fancy stripes 1.65

Men's Knit Union Suits, short sleeves, knee length, and a special value at.....1.15

Men's Two-Piece Underwear, made of satin stripe madras, coat shirt, knee length drawers, each 1.00

Men's Silk Hose, lisle feet, black and colors..... 75c

Men's Extra Fine Silk Hose, in black and colors, all silk, 1.65

Terry Cloth Beach Robes at 4.25

You will have difficulty in finding anything near as good as these elsewhere at this price.

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If he is in France you can send him gifts or money through our Paris office. You pay us only the cost of the goods in Paris—no other charges for him or you. If he is over here you will find our Military sections, replete with practical gifts, to bring comfort to him in camp.

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MERRY LIFE AT FRONT, WRITES BANGOR BOY

Bangor, Me., June 7.—"I never knew a fellow could have such a good time in the front-line trenches," writes Sergeant Charles F. Blanchard of the Bangor Machine Gun Company, 103rd Infantry (old Second Maine), in a letter to his sister, Miss Mabelle G. Blanchard of this city. He adds:

"Honestly, it seems a pleasure to be at the front. The last place that we were in would hold five men comfortably, but there were eleven of us in there, and there was some kicking. Four would eat at a time, and meantime the others had to lie in bed. Then, when we wanted to put on our overcoats the roof was so low that we had to kneel or sit down to do it.

"I never saw so many fellows playing horseshoes as there are here, and we have had several ball games. When there is nothing else to do we lie out in the sun and watch the aeroplanes gliding overhead, listening to determine whether they are German or our own. As a general thing, if a Boche shows up he is driven back by the anti-aircraft guns or brought down. I have seen several duels in the air, and they are exciting spectacles."

NATION MAY OPERATE NEW JERSEY TROLLEYS

Newark, N. J., June 7.—The government may operate the cars of the Public Service Railway Company if it was reported here today, if the trolley strike started yesterday in Newark, Jersey City and other towns of Northern New Jersey, practically paralyzing traffic, further interferes with work at shipyards and other industrial plants engaged on government contracts. Former President Taft, of the War Labor Board may be called to settle the strike, it was reported. Only 25 per cent. of normal traffic was claimed by company officials, and the strikers, some 2,000 in number, claimed that not over 10 per cent. of the cars normally used were operated.

FRANCES WHITE, the little dancer, coming to Boston.

Little Frances White, who for two seasons has been the star of Ziegfeld's Midnight Follies on the roof of the New Amsterdam Theatre, will come to Boston next week in her own show with William Rock, her dancing partner. They will do all the big hits of the past two seasons at the Amsterdam roof.

BLOW AT COURT IN NEW CHILD LABOR LAW

By International News Service.

Washington, June 7.—Incensed because the Supreme Court recently declared unconstitutional his measure, the child labor law, Senator Owen of Oklahoma today reintroduced the law, with an amendment that would automatically throw out of office any judge who declared the law against the constitution. This would apply to Supreme Court as well as other justices. The new amendment reads:

"The constitutionality of this act having been declared by the competent authority of Congress and of the President of the United States at the time of its passage, shall only be questioned thereafter by Congress itself, and by the people of the United States in their sovereign capacity as voters. Any executive or judicial officer who, in his official capacity, denies the constitutionality of this act shall ipso facto vacate his office. No judge of an inferior court shall permit the question of the constitutionality of this act to be raised in the court over which he presides and the United States Supreme Court shall have no appellate power to pass upon the question."

Miss Ellen Tufts to Be the Bride of Lieut. Lavelle

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tufts of Gloucester street announce today the engagement of their daughter, Ellen, to Lieutenant John Lavalle, son of Mrs. John W. Lavelle of Marlboro street. Miss Tufts was a debutante of two years ago and belongs to the Sewing Circle of that Winter.

Her older sister, Mary, married Alexander Strong, Harvard '12, and their home is in Norwood. Walter Tufts, Jr.'s, wife was Faith Simpkins. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tufts' country place, "The Ledges," is in Barnstable on the Cape.

Lieutenant Lavalle left his Harvard class, '18, to enlist. He is in England, a member of the American Aviation Corps.

His mother, Mrs. John W. Lavalle; Mrs. Curtis Guild and Mrs. Vittorio Orlandini, are daughters of Edward C. Johnson of Marlboro street. With the exception of Mrs. Lavalle, they are all at their Summer homes at Nahant, where Mrs. Lavalle will open her cottage later.

STIEFF, PIONEER PIANO MAN, DEAD AT BALTIMORE

Frederick P. Stieff, one of the leaders of the piano industry in this country, and president of the firm of Charles M. Stieff Inc. of Baltimore, is dead at his home in that city.

$1 TERMS AS LOW AS $1 A WEEK
Our Men's Clothing Dept. shows a large variety of suits in colors and patterns—suits you will wear with satisfaction.
Cash OR Credit
$18 to $35

Our Young Men's and Boys' Suit Department offers exceptional values in all makes of suitings.
Young Men's Suits, $15.00 to $25.00
Boys' Suits ..... $5.00 to $12.50

Women's Suits
Latest smart styles, new fabrics and wearing qualities that insure money's worth values.
$18 to $40
Latest models in smart Sport Skirts, $4.98
Summer Dresses in handsome silks, silk poplins and dainty taffetas, $15.00 to $28.98
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Filene's — *Today—the War Savings Stamp drive begins*

DO YOU realize that one cent put into the bank in the year one, would at compound interest equal today more money than there is in the world?

The wonders of interest are never appreciated by a person until he or she starts to save: and then they are astounded at the way their money grows.

Uncle Sam wants us to save money and to lend what we save to him. He wants 1,000,000 people in Massachusetts to pledge themselves to do so before June 28. WILL YOU BE ONE?

Girls' new Summer dresses *Filene values*

Such good-looking frocks that older girls envy their younger sisters the chance to wear them.

$2.50 $3.95 $5.95

Sketch 1. Girls' plaid gingham bloomer dresses, generously full both as to skirts and bloomers. Sizes 6 to 12, $2.50.

Sketch 2. Girls' two-piece sport dresses. Russian waist fastens with Irish crochet buttons, pique collar is hand-embroidered, belt is patent leather. Blouse or skirt may be worn with other skirts and blouses. Sizes 8 to 16, $3.95.

Sketch 3. Girls' lovely plaid tissue crepe dresses with fresh, crispy trimmings of organdie. Further trimmed with cire ribbon and excellent pearl buttons. Sizes 12 to 16. No doubt about these being Filene value at $5.95.

Filene's—mail orders filled—fourth floor

All-fiber sleeveless sweaters, $5

—a typical Filene sweater value.

$5

Many lovely colors—turquoise, peach, cherry, purple and grey. (There are two kinds of so-called fiber sweaters; some are cotton coated or plated with fiber; others all pure fiber. These are pure lustrous artificial silk.)

Filene's—mail orders filled—fifth floor

Misses' shell-edged undermuslins (new)

Shell edges consist of dainty bands of color, stitched into tiny scallops. A really practical as well as pretty idea.

Gowns with colored shell edges, including square necked and new surplice styles, $2.50 and $3.

Envelopes, shell edged, $1.50.

White silk petticoats for graduating girls

Guaranteed satin, $6; jersey top petticoats, $4; embroidered crepe de Chine, $6; double panel tubsilks, $3.

Filene's—mail orders filled—fourth floor

NEW—$2 polka-dot blouses for new-and old-fashioned women

$2 $2

New-fashioned women, at least a great many, like the kind of blouse that slips on over the head. The sketch on the right shows one of these.

Women who prefer the more familiar blouse that buttons all the way may have the same pretty polka dotted batiste at $2, as sketched on the left. Rose, blue, lavender and black dots.

NEW—Women's Peter Pan slip-over blouses $3

$3

The Peter Pan, sometimes called the artist collar, is comfortable, good-looking and youthful. Is it any wonder it is popular with all three of these golden virtues? These new blouses have a good deal of charm; they are made of white cross-bar muslin with dotted dimity frilled collars, $3.

Filene's—mail orders filled—fifth floor

All the BATIK garments shown in the Summer street windows will be on sale SATURDAY on the sixth floor.

PREDICT MANY POLICEMEN MAY RESIGN

The Boston police force is going after more pay.

The Boston Social Club, composed of members of the force, will consider the ways and means at its meeting tonight.

Club members say they cannot meet their living expenses on their present salary. They point to the high wages lying about them on all sides for the asking.

The younger members of the force it is said, are the most dissatisfied. They say that the salary they get at the start as a reserveman, $17.50 a week, is entirely inadequate for a man who is required to keep himself at the high standard the city requires of its policemen.

RESORT TO LOAN SHARKS.

Many of the younger men say they have been forced to resort to loan sharks for the money with which to buy their initial equipment. They say that there are too many lucrative positions for young men today to stand the worry and discomfort that borrowing entails.

The police do not threaten any strike. They are forbidden by law to form any union. But they have the same right, they claim, as any other man dissatisfied with working conditions. They can resign.

That many of the younger men may resign and thus leave an inadequate police force to protect the city is freely predicted in the department.

"We cannot pay our bills and keep our heads above water," said one Boston patrolman to a Boston AMERICAN reporter in discussing the situation. "At least 600 of the 1,400 policemen in Boston now owe loan sharks for money. Many of the men owe from $100 to $500, and although they are working nights and Sundays at other employment, cannot see their way clear.

"I know of large numbers of policemen now in the Boston department who were forced to borrow money from loan sharks in order to get their first uniforms. We now pay cash for cloth at police headquarters. Formerly a small sum was taken from our pay weekly.

MANY HAVE RESIGNED.

"Many of the reserve men have resigned during the last few months to accept more lucrative positions. The older men now promise to follow in their footsteps if Mayor Peters and Police Commissioner O'Meara, in whose hands the remedy lies, do not act favorably in the near future. Two-thirds of the policemen attached to the Boston force are dissatisfied with their present salaries. Many of us are ready to quit now.

"Reserves get $17.50 a week until they are appointed regulars. That does not occur for from fifteen months to two years. During the first year as regulars they get $19.23, the next year $21.09, third year $23.07, fourth year $25, and fifth year the maximum, $26.85. The younger men of the department are very much dissatisfied, and believe that the maximum should be reached earlier or that the Mayor should see that they get an additional amount for the extra work they do in enlisting voters. That work was formerly done by the assessor's department and cost thousands of dollars. We now do it much more efficiently and get nothing.

"Letter carriers, court officers and other employees of that class have been granted increases of pay recently, and we think it is about time we got one. It now costs us twice as much for uniforms as formerly. We are practically compelled to belong to the Relief Association at $12 a year, and we must buy a new gray helmet every year, even though the one in our possession has been worn but a week. It now costs us from $45 to $47 for an overcoat, $20 to $30 for a dress coat, $18 to $20 for a blouse, and $2 to $2.50 for a helmet. Trousers have to be renewed regularly at $11 a pair. When a man is doing active work, such as a policeman is compelled to do, it doesn't take long to wear out a pair of trousers.

"What can a man with six children do on $19.23 a week, especially if there is sickness? Does anyone think that a man and his family can live decently on such pay under present high prices? It can't be done. If our pay isn't increased soon I shall have to quit and I know many others who will quit."

TROCO

Compare Troco With the Best Butter You Can Buy at Any Price

THIS appetizing new product is offered as butter's successor to those who heretofore have used nothing but butter.

It is made by an exclusive process—a process which gives the delicate flavor of gilt-edged creamery butter. The more critical you are, the better you will like Troco.

The makers of Troco specialize on this one product. They have perfected the method which produces the quality which makes Troco not a butter substitute but actually butter's successor.

An Attractive Combination

Troco is churned from the fat extracted from the white meat of coconuts — the same dainty tropic delicacy you use shredded on cake — combined with pasteurized milk.

It is as nutritious as butter and even more digestible. Like butter it is energy food of the highest value.

You will use Troco in place of butter solely for quality — because you rarely find butter so pure and sweet. Your dealer will supply you with a capsule of the vegetable coloring used by butter makers.

But remember, Troco contains no animal oils, and no preservatives. And that it is made by a company which makes no animal oil products—only pure, sweet, appetizing Troco.

Remember to Specify TROCO

Ask for Troco by name if you want to enjoy the butter flavor and butter quality which other nut butters lack. Your dealer has it or can order it for you. A 'phone order will bring prompt delivery anywhere.

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FORTY-TWO MORE MARTYRS FOR LIBERTY IN U. S. LIST FROM FRANCE

Nine From New England Among Casualties That Include 17 Killed in Battle.

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ing, is now reported by the German Red Cross as dead.

The list is as follows:

KILLED IN ACTION.

Lieutenant Robert B. Anderson, Wilson, N. C.

Lieutenant Grosvenor P. Cather, Bladen, Neb.

Lieutenant Henry W. Clarke, No. 156 Oliver street, Boston.

Corporal Joseph Drabakin, Lodi, Cal.

Corporal Herman L. Evans, Lebanon Junction, Ky.

Corporal Silas Triplett, Hunting Creek, N. C.

Private Joe W. Bourel, Cheyenne, N. D.

Private Clarence Henry Caw, St. Joseph, Mo.

Private Raymond E. Cuthbertson, Nebo, N. C.

Private Charles Doan, Alger, Wash.

Private Walter W. Hawk, Cincinnati, O.

Private George Olen, Brockton, Mass.

Private Nass B. Shaheen, Moorehead, Minn.

Private Guy W. Showers, Harrisburg, Pa.

Private Mike Sinkevich, Easton, Pa.

Private Harlie C. Smith, Middletown, N. Y.

Private Lewis T. Strickland, Cerro Gordo, N. C.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Lieutenant Lynn H. Harriman, Concord, N. H.

Lieutenant Wellborn S. Priddy, Chicago, Ill.

Corporal Otto G. Abbott, Newkirk, Okla.

Corporal Robert Finnegan, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mechanic Herman Hansen, Edmore, Mich.

Private William L. Baxter, St. Paul, Ind.

Private Mike Christianson, San Pedro, Cal.

Private William W. Gosnell, Greenville, Tenn.

Private Cabe Kean, Pinola, Miss.

Private Leon R. Mathews, No. 29 Grace street, Springfield, Mass.

Private Louis C. Sayer, Vergas, Minn.

Private Arville Schroggins, Visala, Ky.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Brigadier-General Robert E. L. McBe, Staunton, Va.

Sergeant Edward Reamer Agnew, Carrick, Pa.

Band Leader Hiram I. Cole, Inglewood, Cal.

Private Chester Brisby, Jacksonville, Texas.

Private William H. Harris, Marietta, Ill.

Private George E. McKenna, Far Hills, N. J.

Private Benjamin C. Wood, Lynn, Mass.

DIED OF ACCIDENT.

Lieutenant Livingston L. Baker, San Francisco, Cal.

Lieutenant Duncan R. Grant, New York.

Lieutenant Earl H. Neville, Winona, Minn.

Private George E. Finicle, Huron, S. D.

Private George Jacob Prymiere, Monmouth, Ill.

Private Emanuel G. Williams, Morristown, N. J.

SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Corporal Vester A. Benson, Creston, Ia.

Corporal Ira M. Curtiss, Virginia, Minn.

Private Bernhardt Bottolfson, Hartington, Neb.

Private Walter J. Nugent, Worcester, Mass.

Private Oscar Olson, Wildwood, N. J.

Private Robert O. Ruede, Meriden, Ct.

U. S. Casualties to Date

	Previously Reported	June 7	Totals
Killed in action	695	17	712
Killed by accident	302	6	308
Died of disease	1,166	7	1,173
Died of wounds	349	12	361
Died from other causes	75	1	76
Lost at sea	240	0	240
Civilians killed	7	0	7
Total dead	2,834	42	2,877
Wounded	3,736	6	3,742
Captured	100	4	104
Missing	250	5	255
Total	6,866	8	4,071
Grand totals	6,900	48	6,948

*Minus five previously reported missing, four of whom are now reported as captured and one reported dead by German Red Cross.

PRISONERS (Previously Reported Missing).

Sergeant Joseph P. Nolan, No. 62 Chestnut street, Hartford, Ct.

Sergeant Frank L. Smith, Revere, Mass.

Corporal Henry E. Woods, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Private George Korman, Newark, N. J.

Private Edward Patenaude, West Haven, Ct.

Lieutenant Clarke, Killed in France, Was Harvard Graduate

Lieutenant Henry Ware Clarke, whose name appears in the casualty list as having been killed in action, is a Harvard graduate of Newton, who won the distinguished honor of being appointed to the regular army from the second camp at Plattsburg. He chose the post of danger as commander of a platoon of machine gunners. His parents, who live in Newton, have been informed by the War Department of his death. His Boston business address was No. 156 Oliver street.

REVERE BOY REPORTED AS GERMAN PRISONER

Sergeant Frank L. Smith of Revere reported in today's casualty list as having been taken prisoner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Revere. They received word from the War Department that their son was now a prisoner in a German camp at Giessen, Germany. Sergeant Smith is a graduate of the McKinley Grammar school and was born in East Boston.

SON OF ITALY, BUT GIVES LIFE IN BATTLE FOR U. S.

Brockton, June 7.—Private George Olen, of Brockton, reported in today's casualty list as having been killed in action in France, was a young Italian of 26 who when the United States entered the war went to Providence and enlisted. He was a mason and was born in Italy, where his parents still reside.

PLEDGE SUPPORT OF SHRINERS TO PRESIDENT

Atlantic City, N. J., June 7.—As a patriotic finale at the Shriners' convention, the council delegated Benjamin J. Howell of Boston, for twenty-seven years imperial recorder, to transmit to President Wilson by wire a pledge of support from the 585,000 Shriners of the nation. One happy incident of the final day's proceedings was the presentation to the Lulu Temple, of Philadelphia, of the yawl which brought twenty-nine survivors of the torpedoed Carolina to the beach here Tuesday in recognition of the action of the Philadelphia Shriners in raising more than $1,000 along the board walk for the survivors who were penniless.

NATIONALISTS 'REGRET' WILSON'S ANTI-'DRY' STAND

The National party of Massachusetts has wired President Wilson a resolution passed at its meeting expressing its "deep regret that he does not at this moment favor" the adoption of national prohibition, "and the earnest hope that he will see his way clear to reconsider his position."

PLANE FALLS IN SEA; TWO AVIATORS RESCUED

Keyport, N. J., June 7.—A hydro-airplane flying to Bay Shore, L. I., fell into the surf at Seagate, Coney Island. The engine stalled. The machine had aboard two army aviators. Twelve life-savers swam out to the endangered airmen and pulled them and their craft to the beach. Soon after a submarine chaser arrived and towed in the craft.

STATE MAY JAIL ALL INCOME TAX DELINQUENTS

Jail faces men and women who have not paid their State income taxes for 1917 as the result of action taken today by Attorney-General Henry C. Attwill, who is having warrants prepared to have the delinquents arrested. Under the law the agents of the Attorney-General can seize delinquents wherever found without the formality of court action.

Of the total of $12,566,000 due the State on the basis of last year's returns all but about $35,000 has been collected. The Attorney-General has instructed Max Levinson, one of his assistants, to prepare the warrants.

Frank H. Buhl Dead.

Sharon, Pa., June 7.—Frank H. Buhl, multi-millionaire and philanthropist, died today at his home here.

PAY 25c FIRST PAYMENT and Take Home This Watch — 17 Jewel Waltham

10-YEAR GUARANTEE CASE
SATURDAY SPECIAL, Price $14.85
PAY 25c WEEKLY ON BALANCE
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Successors to American Supply Co. Established 1898.

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We have installed a system of ventilation which has relieved all unpleasant hot weather conditions. A constant wave of fresh air, free from humidity, enabling you to do your shopping under ideal conditions.

Distinctive Shoes and Hosiery for Men, Women and Children

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Aspirin — Made on the Banks of the Hudson — For the past 14 years

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OH — THE MANY CONVENIENCES AND COURTEOUS SERVICE OF THE SHEPARD STORES. AND THE PRICED-LOW MERCHANDISE TO DEFEAT THE HEAT OF SUMMER

COURTESY THE KEYNOTE OF SHEPARD SERVICE

Hundreds of hands are being gloved in the

ANNUAL JUNE SALE OF SILK GLOVES

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves, Paris point backs, in black and gray. Regular 75c quality, pair 59c

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves, Paris point backs, in tan, gray, brown, navy and pongee; regular 85c quality, pair... 69c

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves, embroidered backs, in white and black. Regular 1.00 quality, pair 89c

Women's 16-Button Mousquetaire Silk Gloves, white with black, and black with white. Regular 1.00 quality, pair 89c

Women's 16-Button Mousquetaire Silk Gloves, black only. Regular 85c quality, pair 59c

(Tremont Street—First Floor)

BLOUSES BOTH PLAIN AND FLUFFY

AND THE PRICES PLEASE NOTE:.. 5.00 AND 5.95

The June Sale has brought a wonderfully fine collection of Summer blouses—blouses of all sorts—from the severely plain ones to frilly bits of cobwebby lace and voile.

SILK BLOUSE, 5.00

A much desired blouse in grey crepe de chine, particularly in the light grey, plain model, collar can be worn high or low, centre front fastens with ball, military buttons.

SILK BLOUSE, 5.00

Extra heavy, a slip-over-the-head model, flesh and white, tucked at either shoulder; two wide tucks running crosswise on blouse, deep collar with wide hem, two-button cuff.

GEORGETTE CREPE BLOUSE, 5.95

An attractive model of good quality georgette crepe, either side of front embroidered and beaded; flare collar, sleeve has roll cuff—colors, flesh, white or tan.

PONGEE BLOUSE, 5.95

A splendid blouse at this price; pongee silk, deep collar, braided with soutache braid, front has revers trimmed with small covered buttons; centre front fastens with a covered ball, military button.

NET BLOUSE, 5.95

Fine blonde net, lined with net tucked at shoulder, centre front has vest trimmed with val. lace, high flare collar, lace trimmed, fancy cuff.

SILK BLOUSE, 5.00

Heavy quality crepe de chine, hemstitched yoke shoulder, centre front fastens with three large pearl buttons.

(Winter Street—Second Floor)

MAY WE COBBLE— YOUR SHOES?

A new departure for us—Is Really for You that You may have

Your SHOE REPAIRING Done Conveniently—Satisfactorily Located under Shoe Store

Outside direct entrance—if you prefer. (Temple Place)

Shoe Polishing For Men—For Women

Time to Be Buying TRUNKS AND LUGGAGE CARRIERS in advance of Vacation— (Winter Street—Fourth Floor)

Where to Go? What the Cost? The "Ask Mr. Foster" Travel Information Service

Will give definite and satisfactory particulars—All with Our Compliments—NO CHARGE. (Balcony—Street Floor—Winter Street)

A fascinating collection of RIBBONS

—so varied, so just-what-is-wanted, so little priced considering the qualities.

Remnants of Dresdens and plain Moire Ribbons, 19c qualities, yard 12½c

Dresden and Moire Taffeta Ribbons, 4½ to 6 inches wide, 25c and 29c qualities, yard, 19c

5 to 6-Inch Satin Stripe Moires, Dresdens and taffetas, 39c qualities, yard, 25c

5 to 6-Inch Dresden Ribbon for Bags, light and dark colorings, 49c and 59c qualities, yard, 39c

Plain Moires, Failles and Taffetas, rich, crispy materials, full line of colors, 49c and 59c qualities, yard...39c

(Winter Street—First Floor)

Women's Summer NECKWEAR of Dashing Originality

FILET LACE COLLARS, all are roll shape, dainty fine patterns, 2.50, 2.95, 3.95, 5.00

NET FICHUS, plain and lace trimmed, 75c, 1.00, 1.50

HAND EMBROIDERED COLLARS of stiff pique, with Picot lace..... 50c

HAND EMBROIDERED ORGANDIE COLLARS, roll shape..... 25c

(Tremont Street—First Floor)

Couch Hammocks—Khaki color duck, chain hung, strong wire spring, roll edge mattress. Special..... 13.45

(Winter Street—Third Floor)

A SHIRT "SNAP" FOR MEN

Soft cuff negligee shirts for summer wear, and you certainly will need to replenish your shirt stock before the summer is over, and just as certainly it will be "many moons" before you can purchase such shirts as these at such a small price.

An exceptional assortment of colors and materials and not one shirt that we do not know to be an exceptional value.

Madras, poplin and silk stripe shirts, novelty patterns as well as quieter designs, all well made in every particular. Sizes 14 to 17. 1.35 3 FOR 4.00

(Winter Street—First Floor)

ANNUAL SUMMER SALE for Vacationists of DRUGS AND TOILET GOODS

Everything to protect the skin and add to Summer comfort. A helpful list here from which to check. Marked mostly at sale prices. Direct Entrance from Winter Street.

Peroxide of Hydrogen, pint size, 21c	Domestic Castile Soap, large bars 63c	Hinds' Honey & Almond Crm. 39c
Listerine 85c	Stork Castile, small cakes, 3 for 37c Dozen, 1.40	Wash Cloths, knit or turk finish, 4 for 25c
Orchard White 29c	Nujol, pt. 85c	Bromo Seltzer 47c
Freezone 28c	Sylpho-Nathol 72c	Castoria 29c
Trench Mirrors 98c	Bicarbonate of Soda..... 8c	Plant Juice 89c
Gray's Glycerine Tonic..... 1.12	Lux Soap Flakes (limit 6), 2 for 25c	Physician & Surgeon's Soap, limit 12 .....4 for 35c
Aromatic Spirits Ammonia...18c	Epsom Salts 8c	Boric Acid, ½ lb.....14c
Epsom Salts 8c	Toilet Paper, rolls ....6 for 59c	Pinkham's Compound 89c
Lithia Tablets 21c	Toilet Paper, flat pkg., 1000 sheets, tissue .....5 for 69c	Var-ne-sis 89c
Welcome Soap (limit 10) 5 for 33c	Toilet Paper, flat pkg. crepe, 8 for 67c	Cando Silver Polish.....18c
Seidlitz Powders 29c	Pebeco Tooth Paste..... 41c	Palmolive Shampoo 39c
Salter's Dental Floss, spool...9c	Blaud's Iron Pills, 100 5-gr...17c	Palmolive Soap .....3 for 32c
Old Dutch Cleanser (limit 6), 3 for 25c	Wyeth's Cascara Tablets, 100 5-gr. 33c	Peptomangan 89c
Saf Hepatica 47c	Fountain Syringes, guaranteed 98c	Vinol 89c
Tooth Brushes, many styles.21c	Sterno Canned Heat....4 for 35c	Atomizers for Nose or Throat, 68c
Tourist Cases 39c	Nuxated Iron 75c	Hubbard's Germicide 1.12
Witch Hazel, pt. 35c	Cascara Tablets, 5-gr., 100..21c	Lifebuoy Soap, limit 10, 5 for 33c
Venetian Bath Soap, large round cakes, several odors, 2 for 19c 4 for 35c	Soda Mint Tablets 9c	Moth Balls and Flakes, ½-lb. package 14c
Fairskin Toilet Soap, several popular kinds, for box of 3, 26c Dozen, 1.00	Ivory Soap, limit 10...5 for 33c	Wellington Coffee, lb.....29c
	Bay Rum, 8 oz. 37c	Wellington Tea, Ceylon or Formosa, lb. 53c

(Direct Entrance from Winter Street)

Splendid Showing of New and Original Styles for the Opening of the MID-SUMMER MILLINERY Season.

—All Suggestive of Fluffy Frocks and Delightful Summer Days.

Georgette Hats of all white, all navy, and the two combined in very effective ways.

Leghorns, charmingly trimmed with flowers and ribbons.

White Milans with black velvet crowns.

Dainty Organdie Hats, in white, pale pink and pale blue.

5.00 8.50 10.00

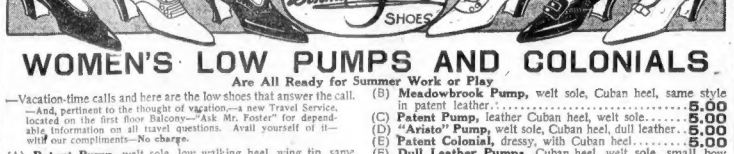
NEW ARRIVALS IN WHITE MILAN SHAPES 1.95 TO 4.95

Finely sewed white milans in a choice variety of pleasing styles. Sailors, mushrooms, turbans, side turns, etc.

SMARTLY BANDED SPORT HATS

that give just the correct touch to the street costume. Black, white, navy, brown, green, red and purple. Simply banded with grosgrain ribbon band and bow. 2.95 TO 4.95

(Temple Place—Second Floor)



WOMEN'S LOW PUMPS AND COLONIALS

Are All Ready for Summer Work or Play

—Vacation-time calls and here are the low shoes that answer the call. —And, pertinent to the thought of vacation,—a new Travel Service, located on the first floor Balcony—"Ask Mr. Foster" for dependable information on all travel questions. Avail yourself of it—and of our compliments—No charge.

(A) Patent Pump, welt sole, low walking heel, wing tip, same style in dull leather..... 5.00

(B) Meadowbrook Pump, welt sole, Cuban heel, same style in patent leather..... 5.00

(C) Patent Pump, leather Cuban heel, welt sole..... 5.00

(D) "Ariato" Pump, welt sole, Cuban heel, dull leather.. 5.00

(E) Patent Colonial, dressy, with Cuban heel..... 5.00

(F) Dull Leather Pumps, Cuban heel, welt sole, small bow ornament..... 5.00

(Temple Place—First Floor)

CORSETS FOR EVERY FIGURE

For the Slender Figure—A new model, made of striped pink batiste, low bust, medium short skirt; sizes 19 to 26..... 1.50

For the Average Figure—Of pink broche, low bust, long skirts; sizes 21 to 28..... 2.00

For the Full Figure—Model of strong coutil, extra strong boning, made with reinforced tab front, six heavy supporters; sizes 22 to 30..... 2.50

Brassieres—Made of strong cotton, trimmed with wide lace insertion; sizes 34 to 44. 50c

(Tremont Street—Third Floor)

CHILDREN'S THEATRE TALKING MACHINE STORE

The daily programme till further notice includes:

10:30 A. M. TH 12 M. MOVING PICTURES CHILDREN'S GAMES BEDTIME STORIES

2:30 to 4 P. M. FRENCH COURSE, start Mondays and Thursdays SAENGER COURSE in Voice Culture Tuesdays and Fridays. WIRELESS COURSE, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

All the New June Records.

(Balcony—Third Floor—Temple Place)

FOR LETTERS that will go "OVER THERE"

Friday and Saturday—In the Stationery Store,

1 pound Letter Paper (96 sheets) white or lavender, linen fabric finish, that usually sells at 29c, now marked 23c

Envelopes to match, package 9c

3 packages, 25c

(Winter Street—First Floor)

These are the days of SWEATERS —Women's —Misses'

Beautiful, delightful styles here, some with belts and collars, combinations of vivid colors, they may be of silk or of wool.

Shetland Knit Sweaters with sailor collar and sash, collar and cuffs of brush wool, in combination colors, such as

Lavender with Nile
Green and White
Purple and White
Corn and White
Salmon and Brown
Nile and White

5.95

Plain Shetland Sweaters.....6.95 | Silk Sweaters.....25.00 to 35.00
Plain Zephyr Sweaters.....7.95 | Slip-on Sweaters.....2.95 to 18.00

Fibre Silk Sweaters, 6.95 to 18.50

(Tremont Street—Third Floor)

Belding's Guaranteed SILK PETTICOATS

Cut on the smart, slender lines to give the suit or skirt its "set" and finish.

In black and large assortment of plain colors, as well as white

Made with shirred and tucked flounce, scalloped accordion pleated edge 5.95

Colored Sateen Petticoats, 1.00 to 2.95

White Sateen Petticoats, 1.19 to 1.50

White Sateen Petticoats, extra size, 1.95

Gingham Petticoats, 69c to 1.50.

Taffeta and Messaline Silk Petticoats, 2.95 to 7.50.

Misses' Petticoats in Sateen, 1.00 to 1.95

Misses' Silk Petticoats, 2.95, 5.00.

(Tremont Street—Third Floor)

'INCREASED COST' NO GROUND FOR EDISON DELAY, SAYS MacFARLAND

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the board to refuse the petitioners a hearing which the statute has provided that they should have, and he has asked it upon a statement of facts which he neither attempts to prove nor is willing that counsel for the petitioners should have an opportunity to disprove.

A continuance of this case until after the war is a denial to the petitioners of a hearing. Upon Mr. Ives' own statement the war may last for five years. He asserts that it will be unpatriotic to hope that it will be over in less than a year because a peace made within a year will be a German peace.

Thus according to Mr. Ives' calculation a postponement of not less than one year is demanded and possibly of more than five years. In either case it would be denying the petitioners the right of a hearing, provided by statute. I pass the technical consideration of the petitioners' right to a hearing with the remark, merely, that the New York Public Service Commission, acting under a similar statute, intimates very strongly that while it could impose a proceeding initiated by itself until after the war, it would not do so if the proceedings were initiated by citizens having the right to initiate such proceedings.

The company's claim that it is suffering a serious loss of revenue from the increased cost of operation, under the present war conditions, is entitled to very little, if any, weight, because there are mere unproved assertions which the company is unwilling to prove and is unwilling that the petitioners should offer evidence to disprove. The very object of this motion for a postponement of this case until after the war is to enable the company to avoid being compelled to make disclosures which would reveal to the commission and to the public the real cost of producing electricity.

The company asserts that daylight saving will cost it $250,000 a year. Nobody knows whether the company is telling the truth or is grossly exaggerating the probable loss by daylight saving. The city of Cleveland is about the same size as Boston. It has an electric lighting plant owned by the people of Cleveland. That plant has been operating under daylight saving plan for a year and a half. During all that time it has been charging 3 cents for its electricity, while the private companies of Boston has been charging 6 cents.

LOSS BY DAYLIGHT SAVING?

The company may have lost some sales of electricity on account of daylight saving, and it may not have lost any. We merely have the company's word for it. We have not even the company's word, for they are only guessing, because they have not yet had the experience. It may be that while there is a loss in the sales of electricity on account of daylight saving, yet that loss may be of the unprofitable sales which occur at the peak of the load, and may be more than offset by greatly increased demands for electricity which we know exist on account of war conditions, and which may come in what are called the valleys of the load, and are therefore very much more profitable to the company. Thus it may be that daylight saving is actually profitable to the company. We know that the daylight saving law was actively advocated by representatives of the electric lighting company. Not until the millennium has come will the representatives of men's unproved assertions which the company is unwilling to prove and is unwilling that the petitioners should offer evidence to disprove, be accepted as the equivalent of facts.

This board cannot know the net result of the daylight saving plan until it has before it the facts which the questions that I have submitted to the company will disclose when the company is compelled to answer them.

The company says that it has been obliged to increase the wages of its employes by $200,000. This is an insignificant item, amounting to about one-tenth of a cent per kilowatt, or about 1-100th part of its charge for electricity.

PLAINT ABOUT COAL COST.

The company groans over the alleged increased cost of coal. Assuming that its statement is correct, and that it actually will be obliged to pay $2.25 more per ton for coal than it was obliged to pay last year, still that item is of comparatively little importance. It would amount only to three-tenths of a cent, or one-thirtieth of the charge it makes for electricity. Now, an increase of $2.25 per ton on the price which the Edison Company has been paying for coal would make the price which the Edison Company is now under war conditions, paying for coal $5.98 a ton. But the Cambridge Electric Light Company, just across the river, has been paying $6.38 a ton for its coal right along, and all that time has been selling its electricity for nine cents, while the Edison Company has been charging ten cents. The Cambridge Company has been paying 40 cents more for coal than the Edison Company says it will be obliged to pay under the present war conditions, and yet the Cambridge Company sells its electricity for only one cent less than the Edison has been charging for it.

COAL PROFITS.

The cost of coal has not, so far, been a threatening item in the Edison Company's cost of production, and it is not at all likely to become threatening. It is a very, very small item in the cost of producing electricity, anyway. In the highly improbable event of a serious increase in the price of coal, the danger can be met by bringing to Boston electricity produced by water power. In the recent case of the city of Boston against the Edison Company, a project to save money was secretly used by representatives of the Edison Company to prevent the coming into what the Edison Company presumptuously claims is Edison territory of the Connecticut Transmission Company, now the New England Power Company. The president of the Edison Company has recently managed to get himself upon the board of directors of the New England Power Company, an inconsistent position which Commissioner Schaff criticised as contrary to public interest. But being there he could, if he chose, facilitate the assistance of water power to his coal using company.

PLAN TO UNITE STATIONS.

There is now in preparation a plan to unite the several power stations of the different electric lighting companies in the southeastern section of the State in such a way as to produce an enormous saving of coal and of labor during war conditions. A law has been passed to enable this plan to be carried out. That the gentleman promoting it proposes to cut a melon partly by war does not change the fact that this possibility of these savings, amounting probably to more than twenty-five per cent. of the maximum production of the plants uniting, exists as a protection against any serious result of a great increase in coal costs.

In reply to my questions, Mr. Elden, the company's engineer, you will recall, admitted that by thus pooling the spare capacity of the several plants in the southeastern part of the State, not including, however, the large Boston Elevated plant, the effective capacity of the plants could be increased almost twenty per cent. at the insignificant cost of the connecting wires. This will save an enormous amount of coal and will enable the companies to meet the tremendous increase of the profitable power demand on account of the war, without any additional capital expenditures. Mr. Elden, you will remember, also admitted that the same saving of coal and increase of capacity could be obtained by a similar combination of the plants north of Boston.

RECOURSE TO WATER POWER.

If the company becomes very much distressed for coal, it also has recourse to the water power company which gets its power from the Connecticut river, which is able not only to manufacture power, but to transport it from the Connecticut river to distant Blackstone and to sell it there and make a good profit besides, for less than the Boston Edison alleges that it costs the Edison merely to manufacture it. On this showing the Connecticut power company could sell its electricity in Boston with a fair profit at less than the Edison claims it costs to place its electricity on its switch board. The Edison's representatives could plead patriotism and war conditions and the cost of coal very much more gracefully if they had not been guilty of improper and secret expenditures to keep the water company out of this territory. The defeat by self-confessed German methods of the application of the Connecticut Power Company to sell its electricity in this territory and the unexpected appearance of Mr. Edgar, president of the Edison company on the board of directors apparently has forced upon the power company, the Edison's competitor, a German peace, and has left the power company about as much right of self determination as the Germans have given the Russians.

COAL PROBLEMS.

But in estimating the probable difficulties which the companies may encounter with respect to coal, the uncertainties of supply by water power and of the increase in capacity by combination must be kept in mind. Thus the real reason for the request by the company for continuance of these proceedings until after the war is not difficulty arising from the alleged patriotic engagement of the company's representatives on war work in Washington. It is not difficulty of answering the questions which I have put. What does the company ask for a continuance in the midst of these hearings was its satisfaction to these questions. If truthfully answered, would reveal conditions which the company does not wish to have known to the public. Board on several occasions has declared ought to be revealed as soon as possible in appropriate proceeding. Testimony of unavoidable pre-occupation of company's representatives in Washington was positively childish. It was a "Much Ado About Nothing." We heard a great deal from Mr. Edgar about "lending" and "borrowing" to and from the government of things and that important representative of the company and the "lending" and "borrowing" of engineers. Mr. Hodskinson told with great unction of his patriotic work, but both General Richard and Mr. Lewando of the Commission brought out the fact that Mr. Hodskinson was "loaned," not to the government, but to a committee appointed and paid for by the public service companies themselves.

"LENDING" AND "BORROWING."

Mr. Edgar, Mr. Hodskinson's chief, in his testimony threw a strong light on the real character of Mr. Hodskinson's work when he told us about the coal crisis. You remember how naively President Edgar told of the "valuable acquaintances" that Mr. Hodskinson had made with the officials of the Fuel Administration, and Mr. Edgar explained with charming simplicity and frankness to assure us that this acquaintance with Mr. Hodskinson's patriotic work in Washington had enabled him to cultivate proved so "valuable" to the company that the company was also able to supply hospitals and even the Boston & Maine Railroad.

This was magnificent service for the company, and we cannot criticise it, but like the charge of the "Light Brigade" at Balaklava, while it may have been magnificent, it certainly was not war.

BUSY ON "WAR WORK."

Mr. Elden undertook to make us believe that he was exceedingly busy on war work, too, but it developed on cross-examination that Mr. Elden's war work was simply very practicable war work which the company was doing with the government in selling the government plants electricity at exceedingly profitable prices. If Mr. Elden's testimony has any bearing on the question of postponement of this case, its weight goes very strongly against postponement, for it tends to show the great increase of business which has come to the company as a result of war.

Mr. Edgar's testimony concerning his own patriotic work in Washington was general except for the "lending" and "borrowing" of his subordinates, not to the government but to the Public Utilities Committee in Washington. About all that I can recall that was specific that he did was to lend the government a turbine engine.

Mr. Edgar made the "lending" sound very munificent, but the commission will remember that when I questioned him about it he admitted that this "lending" amounted to nothing more than submitting to the exercise by the government of its priority right to take a turbine which the company never possessed, but had only ordered from the General Electric Company. It is always wise to make a virtue of a necessity as Mr. Edgar did in this case, but that is all it was.

A BIT ABOUT TURBINES.

Now there are only three companies in the United States that make this turbine engine. The merest tyro knows that. There is not an office clerk in the government employ that could not in half an hour over the telephone have located that turbine at the General Electric plant which had been ordered by but not delivered to the Edison Company.

The commission understands the situation in Washington. They know the part the dollar-a-year gentlemen have played in the early stages of the war. These gentlemen flocked to Washington like harpies to the feast, making "valuable friendships" wherever they could, getting impressive official titles, to do nothing, but giving them entree where they could protect or advance their own interests. All this testimony concerning the war work in Washington may be described by one word—a word now hackneyed but still a wonderful word without which the language has been poor during all these centuries—humbuggery.

These gentlemen are not indispensable either to the government or to the company in the trial of this case and certainly they are not indispensable to the answering of these interrogatories.

ANOTHER DIFFICULTY.

Another excuse for the continuance of the case is the difficulty which the company alleges they will have in answering the questions that I have filed with it. But these questions ought not to be difficult to answer. They are based mostly upon statements made by Mr. Ives, the company's counsel, in the last case which I heard on behalf of the company against the City of Boston only last year. If his statements were true then the facts must have been at hand on which he made them. The questions divide themselves into two—one group of questions are addressed to the financial history of the company. Now the company contends that its financial history is an important element in determining the rates which it charges. If this is true then the company must have had the facts concerning its financial history readily accessible. Moreover, this history concerns chiefly the consolidation of the company with other competing companies. Now the respondent must have had a record of the condition of these companies with which it consolidated in order to have determined wisely the wisdom of making the consolidation. If it did not have the records then it was negligent and has no right to ask the commission for consideration upon that negligence. If it has destroyed the records or lost them it has been equally negligent and is not entitled to consideration.

Another group of questions concerns the condition of other competing companies in other cities. Now, if the Edison is "an efficient public servant," to use Mr. Ives' expression, it must know the conditions under which its competing plants operate, especially it must know the condition of the competing plants which are able to sell electricity for less than the Edison Company is selling it and which are nevertheless able to make good profits. Can the commission imagine anything more stupid and inefficient than the management of a company that does not keep in touch with all the facts concerning companies that sell electricity for less and still make a good profit? Of course, it is the duty of the management immediately to inquire into the facts and to learn why these companies are able to undersell the Edison. If it is by a more efficient management, then they ought to know what the point of superior efficiency is. If it is by more efficient machinery, then they ought to know that too.

NORWOOD'S EXPERIENCE.

For example, the town of Norwood buys its electricity from the Edison Company and pays it a profit. Then the town sells that electricity to its people for 1¢½ per cent. less than the average price which the Edison charges to its customers; it gives its street lighting to the town for nothing, while the Edison charges the city of Boston the full price, and yet it pays all its expenses including all the cost of street lighting and the profit which it pays to the Edison, and still makes a clear profit for the town of Norwood of 14 per cent. on its investment.

The Holyoke plant is owned by the city also and it charges a maximum rate of 6 per cent., as compared with the Edison's maximum of 10. It charges a maximum for power of 4 cents, as compared with the Edison's 10 cents a kilowatt. Passaic with California is another plant owned and operated by the public. It sold street lighting for 50 per cent. less for the year ending June 30, 1917, than our Edison company; it sold electricity for lighting for 5 cents; one-half of what our Edison charges. It sold power at a maximum of 4 cents, as compared with 10 cents which our Edison charges and notwithstanding this it made a profit of 11.05 per cent. on its investment and paid a higher rate for fuel than the Edison.

A CITY-OWNED PLANT.

Norwalk, Conn., in October of 1913 had owned and operated its plant for twenty-one years. In that year it had entirely paid for the plant, so that the people of Norwalk owned their plant absolutely free of debt. The following year it earned 12.54 per cent., turned half of it into the public treasury and put about half of it into extensions and improvements of service for the people. It did this on a charge of 7.2 cents for lighting as against the Edison's 10 and 4.6 cents for power as against the Endson's 10. The city of Cleveland owns and operates its electric lighting plant. It charges less than one-third or 3 cents for commercial lighting as against our Edison's 10 and it made a net profit of 12.41 per cent. on the value of the plant devoted to business. The management of the Edison company certainly must know what these plants are doing for the people of the cities they serve. If the Edison company is efficiently managed it has made an investigation of conditions under which these plants are operated to learn why they are able to do the things that they are doing. If they have made this investigation then they know the facts and they can give us the facts without difficulty. If they have not made the investigation, then have been guilty of neglect, their management is not efficient and they are not entitled to consideration.

PAID LEAST FOR COAL.

Among the nineteen largest companies in Massachusetts the Boston Edison last year paid the least for coal and charged the most for electric power. This is a very significant and serious fact. This community is already handicapped by transportation facilities and an unnecessarily high charge for electric power adds to the burdensome handicap which we suffer in Boston in our competition with other parts of the country. Either under war conditions or under peace conditions it is important for this community to keep down the cost of electricity.

The high prices under war conditions have not affected the Edison company as it has affected the street railways, because wages and coal are almost an insignificant item in the cost of operating the lighting company, while wages are an important item in the cost of operation to a street railway or a railroad.

War conditions did not arise when America entered the war, they arose and began to operate upon business in this country and upon the cost of things the moment Germany declared war against France and Russia. From that moment our industries underwent a revolution. Labor which had been a drug on the market became scarce and the cost of labor arose with extraordinary rapidity. For though not technically in the war, though our soldiers were not fighting, yet our industries were actually in the war, and we were supplying the Allies with munitions.

COSTS WENT STEADILY DOWN.

Now from 1910 until 1917 the cost per kilowatt hour of producing electricity to the Edison Company went down steadily and constantly, from 3.7113 cents in 1910 to 2.1145 cents during the same period the cost per revenue passenger on the Bay State stood progressively from 3.49 cents to 4.8 cents and on the Elevated, beginning in 1911, the cost per revenue passenger arose from 4.795 cents to 5.813 cents.

Moreover, the advance in the art of producing electricity has tended to reduce the cost very much more than the advance in the art has reduced costs with the other public utilities. In the last fifteen years the improvement in machinery and in methods and in material has cut the cost in two.

The commission took the motion for postponement under advisement.

MAYOR STARTS DRIVE TO CLEAN UP BOSTON

Complaints made concerning the evils that beset soldiers and sailors in the Common and Public Garden and other places frequented by young women and girls have resulted in first steps being taken by Mayor Peters for a cleanup of Boston.

The initial move was in the form of a conference with army, naval and civil authorities in the Mayor's office.

Although the plans have as yet not been completed, it is understood that rigid measures will be put in force for the rounding up of women of questionable character.

SOUTHERN STEAMSHIP RAMMED BY WARSHIP

An Atlantic Port, June 7.—A large hole was torn in the side of the Old Dominion steamship Smithfield, plying between Norfolk and eastern shore of Virginia, when she was rammed by a United States warship in the harbor here and slightly damaged. No one was injured by the crash.

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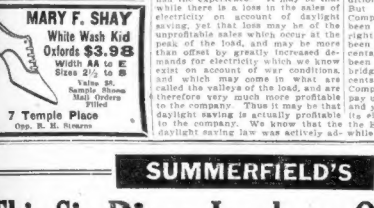

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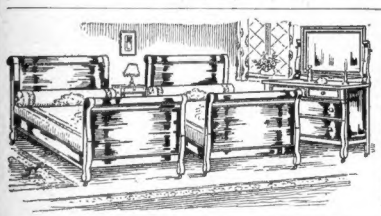

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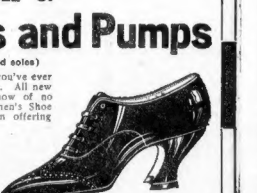

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SOUGHT AS A SLACKER IS KILLED IN ACTION

Cowego, N. Y., June 7.—Michael Tacuro, who has been sought by the police here for some time as a slacker in that he failed to file his draft questionnaire, has been located. His name appeared in the casualty list as among the men killed in action.

Tacuro lived in Fulton and registered for the draft. He then disappeared and was thought to have done so to escape military service. Instead, it is now believed he enlisted, not waiting for induction.

MEDFORD MEN GOING TO DO Y. M. C. A. WAR WORK

Four prominent Medford men will leave the middle of the month for Y. M. C. A. overseas work. They are: Ex-Alderman James A. Cotting, secretary of the Medford Committee on Public Safety; Captain Herbert F. Dowell of the Medford company, State Guard, and a member of the board of aldermen; ex-Alderman James G. Johnston, supply sergeant of the State Guard, and Fred Bryan, a lieutenant in the State Guard.

2,168,661 RIFLES FOR 1,595,000 U.S. SOLDIERS

Ordnance Figures for the Year Shows More Guns Made Than Men to Fire Them

By JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, June 7.—Boasting and optimism are no longer required to cheer and inspirit the country with the progress recorded by our revived and invigorating departments in the vigorous conduct of the war. The facts from the records speak for themselves louder than words.

The War Department gives out the statement that the production of rifles for the United States army has passed the million and a half mark.

A report from the office of the acting chief or ordnance, Brigadier General C. C. Williams, shows that since the United States declared war against Germany the ordnance department has produced 1,595,661 rifles. These are apportioned as follows:

Model of 1917 (modified Enfields), 1,140,595.

Model of 1903 (Springfields), 174,796.

Russian rifles, 281,370.

In addition, there is the equivalent to 100,000 Enfields, made up in spare parts, and of 100,000 Springfields made up in spare parts, since war was declared. All these rifles and parts, with the exception of the Russian rifles, go into the hands of soldiers destined overseas. The Russian rifles are being used for training purposes and the equipment of home guards.

In the early days of the war there was much criticism of the inadequacy of our supply of rifles. There were said to be only 100,000 rifles for the entire army with a reserve of 750,000. We adopted the British Enfield and re-chambered many of these guns in order to use the Springfield munition, of which we had an abundant store.

The rechambering of these Enfield guns to fit the new Springfield caused no little comment and criticism and misrepresentation. It was charged that the delay would be serious and dangerous, and that we would have an army without guns. To all of this the Ordnance Department steadily insisted that there would be a gun for every man when the man was ready.

And now the Ordnance Department more than vindicates its promise, and has more guns by several hundred thousand than we have men to use them.

General Crowder said Wednesday that we have 1,595,000 men called to arms. The War Department says today that the Ordnance Department has produced since the beginning of the war 1,568,661 rifles. Add to these the 600,000 Springfields, model of 1903 in use, and there is a total of 2,168,661 guns against 1,595,000 men.

Last week's total production was 35,640 rifles, or a daily average of 7,541. This figure was reached with only five plants, of the eight which have been working on rifles, busy. Higher records were made when all the plants were working in the Winter months

ADMITS KILLING FOUR MEN FOR $15 A WEEK

Hired Assassin Turns State's Evidence at Trial of Terranova for Double Slaying

By International News Service.

New York, June 7. — "I was a killer at $15 a week — sure. But once in a while the boss would slip me something extra, something for myself."

Nonchalantly, in a conversational tone, John Esposito, alias John Lefty, admitted before Judge Crane in General Sessions that he was a hired assassin. Saving his own skin by turning State's evidence in the trial of Ciro Terranova for the murder of Joseph De Mato, a rival gambler, and Charles Lombardi, Esposito smiled as he told his story, displaying perfect teeth. Terranova was accused of engaging four "killers" to rid himself of his rival, the slaying of Lombardi being an incident, Esposito claimed.

"A man had been hired to murder De Mato before we did, but he got 'cold feet,'" said Esposito. "So then Terranova came to my boss to get the job done."

Esposito named a Brooklyn saloon keeper as the "boss" who hired the "killer" and "slugger" gangs. "They brought me in when the other killer got 'cold feet,' and told me to go after De Mato. Terranova employed me through my boss to make a good job of it." Four killers were assigned, he explained, but he was to do the work.

"But you see, I had never seen De Mato," he said, "and I made a mistake.

"I killed Charles Lombardi. But one of my gang named Fenno took up my work and killed De Mato. The next day Terranova congratulated me on the job."

"How many men have you murdered?" asked Martin W. Littleton, the defendant's counsel.

"Only four," modestly admitted the witness. "I was used first as a slugger. The boss was employed to have plenty of guys done up. I done them up. They were strangers to me and I didn't have nothing against them. Some were taken to the hospital. They were always satisfied with my work."

Esposito said his other victims were Nicholas Terranova, brother of the accused man; Charles Umbriaco and Andrea Ricci. He declared he did not actually shoot Nicholas Terranova, but was out to "get" him.

"Nicholas was a pal of yours, wasn't he?" Esposito was asked.

"Sure, but that didn't matter. That was a different matter. I was acting under instructions from the boss," said the witness with a shrug of the shoulders.

POLICE INVESTIGATING SILK ROBBERY MYSTERY

The police are investigating a $15,000 silk robbery reported to have occurred at a waist manufactory on Otis street.

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CELEBRATION PLANNED FOR DEDHAM ENLISTED MEN

Dedham is planning for a monster celebration for the soldier boys stationed at Camp Devens who were selected by the Exemption Board of Norwood, Division 14, which has jurisdiction over the town of Dedham, Westwood, Norwood, Norfolk and Walpole. A committee in charge of George D. Gibb, John J. Smith and John W. Withington, the Selectmen of the town, have set the date for Saturday, June 22, plan to have a parade, athletic events at Stone Park, band concert and in the evening a reception and dance in Memorial Hall.

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF SUN COMES TOMORROW

Boston Will Get Good View of Moon's Intervention, Says Garrett P. Serviss

By GARRETT P. SERVISS.

Not since 1900 has the United States been favored with the greatest of celestial spectacles—a total solar eclipse—such as will occur tomorrow afternoon.

Eclipses of the sun are not rare phenomena, at least two occurring every year, but total eclipses, during which the whole disk of the sun is hidden behind the moon, are very rare in any particular locality on the earth, because an eclipse can be total only where the point of the moon's shadow touches the earth, and that point is, on the average, only about seventy miles in diameter.

Astronomers will view the eclipse from points in this central path, the most important being in Colorado, Kansas, Wyoming, Idaho and Oregon. At Denver is a great observatory, which lies in the path of totality, and important observations will be made there. At Green River, in Wyoming, where the elevation is 6,000 feet and the air exceptionally dry and clear, a large party of skilled observers will gather with their instruments.

The things the astronomers will study are: (1) the corona, which consists of a great display of luminous streamers around the hidden sun, from which much may be learned about the electro-magnetic influences or the sun upon the earth; (2) the changes that take place in the magnetism of the earth, and the electric state of the air, during the time the total obscuration lasts; (3) the search for new planets nearer the sun than Mercury, the nearest one now known; (4) abnormal or unexpected phenomena that may show either in the form, extension or color of the corona, or in the condition of the atmosphere of the earth.

The eclipse will be partially visible all over the United States, the extent of the sun's surface hidden being proportional to the distance north or south of the central line. Boston is roughly a thousand miles north of it, and here a little more than two-thirds of the sun's diameter will be covered by the moon at the middle of the eclipse, which will not occur until nearly half past 6 o'clock.

The moon will be seen beginning to encroach upon the edge of the sun about half-past five, Eastern standard time, or an hour later by daylight-saving time. If the Western horizon is clear it will be easy to see at least the beginning of the eclipse.

Railway Telegraph Operators Ready to Join Strike

Chicago, June 7.—Railway telegraphers are preparing to join issue with the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America in its proposed strike against the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies, according to an announcement made today by E. J. Konenkamp, president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union.

E. J. Thomas, Chicago district chairman of the Railway Telegraphers, has arranged for a conference tomorrow with Mr. Konenkamp. It is understood the railway telegraphers' grievances are directed against the Western Union, and include demands for increased pay where railway offices handle Western Union business.

"We are mailing the strike instructions," Mr. Konenkamp said. "The locals are instructed to prepare for the strike, which is to enforce the decision of the United States Labor War Board, which provides for the reinstatement of the 800 operators discharged for union affiliations and for recognition of our unions.

"While the date for the strike has been definitely set, we are not yet ready to make that public."

ICELESS REFRIGERATOR CHUM OF FIRELESS COOKER

Miss Marian Driscoll, in charge of the Women's Municipal League cottage on the Common, placing food in the cooler that needs no ice. It's not on the market. Make one at home for 85 cents.

By MARIE DUNBAR.

The iceless refrigerator is the latest. It sounds like a farce but it is really a pleasant joke—and a useful one.

The first day the iceless refrigerator was placed in the Women's Municipal League Cottage on the Common it attracted more than 300 persons. Only two of this number had ever heard of the iceless refrigerator as shown in the cottage and every one of the 300 were enthusiastic over it.

The iceless refrigerator is really a boon companion of the fireless cooker. In the days of the high cost of ice this will prove more than acceptable. The cost of the refrigerator as pictured at home, is 85 cents. It will keep a temperature of 40 degrees during the hottest weather. The principle of the food thrift movement has approved the iceless refrigerator. It has not been placed on the market and must be made at home.

HOW TO MAKE IT.

The following is an explanation of just how to make the refrigerator and how it works. Make a screened case 2½ feet high with the dimensions 12 by 15 inches. If a solid top is used, simply place a water pan on this. Otherwise fit the pan closely into the opening of the top frame and support it by one-inch cleats fastened to the side of the frame. Place two movable shelves in the frame, 12 to 15 inches apart. Use a biscuit pan 12 inches square on the top to hold the water, and when the refrigerator is to be used indoors have the whole thing standing in a pan of water to catch the drips.

The pans and case may be painted white, allowed to dry, and then enameled. A covering of white canton flannel should be made to fit the frame. Have the smooth side out and button the covering on the frame with buggy or automobile curtain hooks and eyes, arranged so the door may be opened without unfastening the hooks.

FLANNEL ABSORBS THE WATER.

This can easily be done by putting one row of hooks on the edge of the door near the latch and the other just opposite the opening, with the hem on each side extended far enough to cover the crack at the edge of the door, to keep out the warm outside air and retain the cooled air. The covering will have to be hooked around the top edge also.

Two double strips one-half the width of each side should be sewed on the top of each side and allowed to extend over 2½ or 3 inches in the pan of water. The bottom of the covering should extend to the lower edge of the case.

The refrigerator should be placed in a cool, shady place or in a draft.

The flannel absorbs the water from the pan. As the air blows through the water evaporates and is driven to the inside. This keeps the inside of the box cool.

IN ANY SIZE DESIRED.

The refrigerator can be made in practically any shape and size desired as long as the general principal of using the screen, cold water and canton flannel is observed. A straight piece of flannel is used on which are placed several tabs. The straight piece goes around the box while the tabs remain in the pan.

Miss Marian Driscoll, who has charge of the Women's Municipal League cottage on the Common, says that the public has shown a great deal of interest concerning the refrigerator and how to make it. Hundreds are visiting the cottage daily to see the magic that can be wrought with a piece of screening, a few boards, a pan of cold water, some Canton flannel, and a few nails, a hammer and some jaber.

AUTOMOBILISTS FINED IN DORCHESTER COURT

In the Dorchester Court before Judge Michael H. Sullivan, there appeared on complaints of Patrolmen Vinal W. Harmon and John J. Delaney, automobile officers of the Mattapan station, the following automobilists for violation of the automobile laws on Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester: J. Bryant Damon, Minot, was fined $10 and appealed; Franklin V. Chaney, No. 464 Commonwealth avenue, was fined $15; William D. Billings, No. 335 Chestnut avenue, Brighton, $15; Gordan Floyd, No. 398 Washington street, Whitman, $5, and John A. Johnson, York street, Canton, $10.

TRACK WORKER KILLED AS COAL TRUCK SKIDS

Antonio Distaselo, fifty, of No. 4 Noyes place, North End, was killed, and James Ross of No. 432 Hanover street, shaken up and severely bruised when they were hit by a coal truck driven by Harry Wilkinson of No. 10 Leyland street, Dorchester, in Harrison avenue near Rochester street today. The men were repairing the street railway tracks when the truck approached. The street was wet and the truck skidded, striking them, who was thrown five feet to one side, and knocking down Distaselo, who was run over by one wheel.

CAUGHT SENDING CODE SIGNALS OUT TO SEA

Cape May, N. J., June 7.—While flashing code signals across the water from a window of a darkened hotel, a man who said his name was Renshaw, and who refused to give any additional information, was captured by Commander Lightfoot and a squad of naval coast defence reserves. The alleged spy was taken after the squad broke open the door of his room. The authorities believe he was heliographing to a submarine.

HELD FOR MAKING FALSE AFFIDAVIT IN DRAFT

James J. Coughlin of Florence street, Somerville, was held in $500 by U. S. Commissioner Hayes on the charge of swearing falsely in an affidavit before his Exemption Board in order to secure deferred classification in the draft.

It is alleged that Coughlin, who had purchased furniture for his coming marriage, had the furniture company, from whom he made the purchase, date the bill March 1, 1917, when as a matter of fact the furniture was bought some time after that date. His case was continued until June 14.

Daughter Made Administratrix

Benjamin Franklin Baker of Dedham, who died intestate was worth $5,000 in personal property, according to the administration papers that have been granted by the Norfolk Probate Court to his daughter, Miss Frances Baker, 2nd, who was appointed administratrix.

A bond of $14,000 was furnished by her.

B. & A. LIMITS COMMUTERS' TICKETS

Many Suburbanites Seek Extra Ride Books as Date Approaches for New Rate

Despite the instruction of Director of Railroads William G. McAdoo to prevent hoarding of commutation tickets, Boston commuters are buying them in large quantities to avoid the 10 per cent. increase effective June 10. On that date, by Mr. McAdoo's orders, a general increase in passenger rates becomes effective.

Orders issued early in the week to ticket agents at the South station were revoked by the Boston & Albany Railroad when an attempt was made to buy ten 15-ride tickets to one of the Newtons. The ticket clerks had been ordered not to sell more than two commutation tickets to one person.

For the purpose of ascertaining what the New England roads were doing to prevent ticket hoarding a commuter went to a ticket window in South Station and asked for ten twelve-ride commutation tickets to West Newton.

"I can't let you have them," replied the clerk.

"Why not?" he was asked.

"Because I've got orders not to sell more than two commutation tickets to one person," he answered.

Going to another window the same information was given except that the person was told he could buy three or four tickets.

To test the order he went to the passenger office of the Boston & Albany upstairs.

"I tried to buy ten twelve-ride commutation tickets downstairs, but the clerk refused to sell them to me," he said to the first man he talked with in the passenger office.

The man talked it over with another, then returned and said, "Do you want to use the tickets this week?"

"No, I just want to buy them, that's all," was the rejoinder.

It was evident that the purchase was being made to avoid payment of the extra 10 per cent. which goes into effect next Monday on all railroads throughout the country by order of Mr. McAdoo.

Another consultation followed with the head of the department, after which the commuter was informed that if he went down stairs he would be permitted to purchase the ten tickets. That was done.

The company official evidently reached the conclusion that the road has no legal right to refuse to sell as many commutation tickets as a person desires to purchase.

Many persons have laid in a big stock of commutation tickets even though refused more than two tickets. Prior to the rescinding of the order today limiting the number, commuters went from window to window buying two at each, thus evading the rule in order to save 10 per cent.

FIRE ENGINE RUNS OVER, BREAKS LITTLE BOY'S LEG

While responding to an alarm of fire from box 28 at No. 220 Second street, Chelsea, Engine 5, driven by Charles Garner, struck and knocked down six-year-old George Shankman, of 109 Arlington street, Chelsea. The little boy was crossing the street at Everett avenue and Arlington street when the fire engine turned the corner. The front-wheel of the engine ran over the legs of the boy and he was taken to Frost Hospital, where it is feared both legs are fractured. The fire was slight and caused no damage.

Patrolman Retired

Patrolman Orlando H. Lailer of the Dorchester police station was retired at roll-call by an order from Commissioner O'Meara and approved by Mayor Peters. Patrolman Lailer has been a member of the force for almost thirty years, and was physically incapacitated from active duty. He retires on a $700 pension.

LESSEES OF CARNEY BUILDING ON TRIAL

Alonzo W. and Albert H. Perry of Rockland, lessees of the Carney Building at No. 43 Tremont street, were placed on trial before Judge Lawlon and a jury in the Superior Criminal Court on an indictment charging them with having failed to comply with regulations relating to the operation and inspectors of elevators.

The prosecution follows the falling of an elevator in the Carney Building on March 26 last, when several passengers were seriously injured. The Perrys are charged with failure to provide suitable safety devices and also with neglecting to report the condition of the elevators.

Jefferson I. Morse, engineer and superintendent of the building, is also on trial.

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Dr. A. J. Newman, late Police Surgeon of the City of Chicago, and former House Surgeon Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago

Newspaper readers everywhere are invited to copy this statement for the benefit of their readers. It is suggested that physicians make a record of it and keep it in their offices so that they may intelligently answer questions of patients concerning it.

Dr. A. J. Newman, late Police Surgeon of the City of Chicago, and former House Surgeon Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, says it has proven through his own tests of it to excel any preparation he has ever used for creating red blood, building up the nerves and strengthening the muscles. Dr. J. W. Armistead, Grove Hill, Alabama, graduate of the University of Alabama School of Medicine, Mobile, 1885, says: "In the cases I used Nuxated Iron I have found more than double results than from any preparation I have ever used in 34 years' practice." Dr. Ira D. Waugh, Hollis Mills, Minn., graduate of the Memphis Hospital College, Memphis, 1908, says: "I always prescribe Nuxated Iron where a reconstructive tonic is indicated." Nuxated Iron often increases the strength and endurance of delicate, nervous, rundown folks in two weeks' time.

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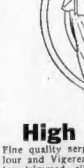

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Here is a knitting job for [illegible] knitters.

The Red Cross wants 20,000 pairs of socks for soldiers and sailors by the first of September. That means 5,000 pairs a month during June, July and August.

There is plenty of wool on hand. All that is lacking is labor. The Stanton chapter and the Braves have been making over 1,000 pairs of socks each month, and this number will be increased tremendously.

Socks are not all that is needed. Sweaters there must be, of course, and caps and mufflers and wristers.

All told, the needs of the knitting [illegible] Stanton chapter for the present month of June [illegible] 20,000 pairs.

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MOVIE STAR IS FORCED TO GIVE UP WORK

Lillian Gish's Nerves Shattered by Bombardments in European War Zone

Word has just been received from [illegible] D. W. Griffith aboard ship en route to Los Angeles to the effect that Lillian Gish, [illegible] motion picture actress who has won many admirers here, is [illegible] through her work in "The Hun Within," a [illegible] picture of the European War. The [illegible] Lillian Gish and [illegible] Gish were at present engaged on the screen of the Mason Opera House.

Mr. Griffith, who left for the front [illegible] several weeks ago, returned to America last August, [illegible] to recover from a breakdown [illegible] brought on by his [illegible] work in the battle zone. [illegible] Lillian Gish and Dorothy Gish, the other little Ben Alexander, Irving Fawcett, Robert Harron, Erich von Stroheim and other players popular in the films, returned to America last August, [illegible] after having spent more than a year and a half in the war zone [illegible] scenes for "Hearts of the World."

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LILLIAN GISH, one of the stars in the "Hearts of the World," who has been forced to abandon her work owing to nervous [illegible]

'WHITE PLAGUE' VICTIMS SAVED IN ARMY

Dr. Prosser Tells of Success in Canada; Caring for the Disabled an Industrial Problem

[illegible] rehabilitation and reclassification of disabled men though now a war problem is primarily an industrial problem, according to Dr. C. A. Prosser, secretary of the Federal Board for Vocational Education, in his address before the National Tuberculosis Association today.

"The annual number of killed and injured in industry, he said, is less than it was, however bloody may be the carnage on the battle line. The number of industrial injuries [illegible] from 2,000,000 to 2,000,000 a year. [illegible] dead and at least 11,000 of the injured are so seriously hurt that they can never return to their old trades, but must learn new ones.

His remarks were enthusiastically applauded. He told how Canada was reorganizing disabled soldiers to the end of industry, teaching them [illegible] trades to all, and said that if the Senate pending before the Senate was passed the United States would likewise offer trained disabled men a choice from [illegible] trades. The men themselves, he declared, should choose their new vocations.

BIG SUCCESS IN CANADA.

"I have never seen anything like the enthusiasm with which the men in Canada take up their new work," he said. "They are like college students. They wear civilian clothing, but are paid at the same rate as when on active service while they are learning their new jobs. The only thing that hampers the Canadian government in the work is the well-meant but inadvisable interference of tender and sympathetic women.

He pointed out that in America it was [illegible] men could not be retained in army service as they were in Canada, where they were given an opportunity to recover from the disease under the care of the army medical authorities.

For every million men mobilized, he said, ten thousand or one per cent. each year, would be proper subjects for vocational retraining. Of this 10,000 fully fifty per cent. will require medical rather than surgical care. Of the surgical cases there will be 10 per cent. of dismemberment cases and of these 600 men 200 will have lost legs, and 200 one of both arms.

Dr. G. T. Palmer read a paper by Lieutenant Colonel Harry E. Mock of the surgeon general's office.

A soldier disabled by tuberculosis should be restored to complete usefulness just as well as one who has had his leg shot off, was Colonel Mock's view. He said that the surgeon general planned to teach these patients trades as soon as [illegible] able and to keep close supervision over the men until they were completely reclaimed.

METHUSELAH FIRST AIR "CRANK"

Dr. Hugh M. Kinghorn of Saranac Lake opposed any muscular exercise or work for active tubercular cases. Rest in bed, he said, is the best method of treatment where the temperature exceeds 99 degrees.

Dr. Vsevolod Rowditsch of Moscow declared that "Methuselah was a great fresh air crank. Methuselah lived so long, he said, because he knew enough to get all the fresh air he could and to live outdoors day and night. No ventilation system, he said, could compare with the benefits of open-air schools.

LIFT OFF CORNS FREEZONE IS MAGIC

Costs few cents! Sore, touchy corns lift right off with fingers. No pain!

Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right off. It doesn't hurt one bit. Yes, magic!

Why wait? Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the magic discovery of a Cincinnati genius.

CAN'T STARVE ENGLAND, SAYS BRITISH FOOD CHIEF

London, June 7.—The people of England will continue to get all [illegible] bacon, potatoes and margarine they want, according to John [illegible] Clynes, parliamentary secretary [illegible] Ministry of Food.

He told the House of Commons that the German submarine campaign to starve the food supply of the civilian population of Great Britain [illegible] cannot be allowed to be declared. Bluntly he [illegible] 15,000,000 tons have to [illegible] imported from the United States, he said. The country is now independent of [illegible] wheat, more than [illegible] in England having increased [illegible] since the war began. Clynes added that [illegible] acres of potatoes have been planted in England this year and 120,000 in Ireland.

NEW BRUNSWICK FOREST FIRE QUENCHED BY RAIN

Eastport, Me., June 7.—Rain today quenched forest fires which in four days have burned acre miles of woods on Canadian Island, Campobello [illegible] near here. The rain saved [illegible] from the fishing settlements of Wilson's Beach and Welchpool, which were threatened with destruction. The homes of Assistant Secretary of the Navy Franklin D. Roosevelt and other Americans who own Summer cottages nearby were untouched.

CUTICURA HEALS ITCHING PIMPLES

All Over Face and Arms. Face Was Disfigured. Trouble Lasted Six Months.

"When working I had to use oil, and it got into my flesh all over my face and arms. After a while pimples came and caused a lot of itching. The pimples were large, hard, and dark red. They itched every minute causing me to scratch. Every part of my face was disfigured.

"This trouble lasted six months when I saw a Cuticura advertisement, and I made up my mind to try them. After three weeks I was completely healed." (Signed) Joseph Pello, 218 Wallace St., New Haven, Conn., August 25, 1917.

Why not prevent these distressing troubles by making Cuticura your everyday toilet and nursery soap aided by touches of Ointment as needed?

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. H, Boston." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

BIG MILFORD FAMILY HIRES A SPECIAL CAR

Milford, June 7 — When Mr and Mrs Louis Tredo and twelve children left for Philadelphia today, the largest family in Milford departed. Because of the many suitcases and bags needed by the fourteen members of the family, a special car was chartered by Mr Tredo to take the family from Milford to Woonsocket. There will make their home in Philadelphia.

NEW WAGE INCREASE FOR 2,500 WHITINS EMPLOYES

Milford, June 7.—Employes at the Whitins Machine Company were today notified of an increase in wages of two cents an hour. This is the second increase within three months. The first, for three cents, makes a total increase of five cents. Twenty-five hundred employes are benefited by the increase.

HOUGHTON & DUTTON Co
The Store That Stands Between the People and High Prices
We Give and Redeem Legal and Profit-Sharing Stamps

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The Largest Assortments of
White Milans and Panamas
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Dozens of fascinating styles, including the straight brimmed sailor, the narrow brimmed sailor, the always desirable drooping sailor with its generous white ribbon for turning, and many others suitable for street wear, picnics, outings, during your vacation at the shore or mountains, sailing, motoring and on the Cape and for other occasions of summertime.

A Wide Range of Prices from
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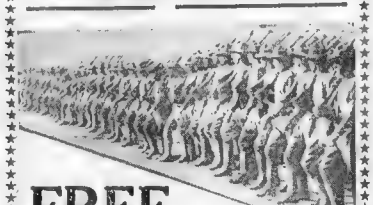

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All Recognized Standard Brands

The L System Clothes of [illegible]
One of the best known [illegible] in the United States [illegible]

Paramount Clothes of Rochester, N. Y.
Highest grade clothes of [illegible] clothes in America for the [illegible]

Richard System Clothes of New York City.
The highest class ready-to-wear garments [illegible]

Character Clothes of New York City.
The highest grade [illegible]

Clothcraft Clothes of Cleveland, O.
Exclusive models that have [illegible]

Griffon Clothes of Baltimore, Md.
High grade [illegible]

Schloss-Baltimore Clothes.
Clothes beautiful, masterly tailored and designed, known the country over.

Adler "Collegian" Clothes of Milwaukee
[illegible]

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[illegible]

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The [illegible]

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By JACK VEIOCK.

Jack Coombs won fifty Colby College in 1905 to become a major league pitcher with the Mackmen and made good right off the reel. It is still rated as an offensive slugger. The Colby boy made his league debut and won a ball game that year. He graduated from the training season at Hot Springs and he was a member of the team all the season. He was a member of the team all the season.

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K. of P. Service Night

King Hiram lodge No. [illegible] of Pythias of Cambridge will [illegible] building, Cambridgeport this evening. L. Beal, grand prelate, will [illegible] sons in charge will preside [illegible] benediction

SPECIAL NOTICE.

VAST FOOD VALUE

Scientific tests prove that Father John's Medicine contains a vast store of strength-building, food elements in a form easily taken up by the system. That is why many people gain flesh and strength so fast, while taking this nourishing, body-building tonic in the strong

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For more than 200 years Hanlon Pill (the famous national remedy of Holland) has been recognized as an infallible relief from all forms of kidney and bladder disorders. Its very age is proof that it must have unusual merit.

If you have trouble with pains or aches in the back, [illegible] headache, feel [illegible] tired, [illegible] painful or too frequent passage of urine, irritation or [illegible] then you will almost certainly find in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. That is the good old remedy that has stood the test for over 200 years, prepared in the proper quantities and in convenient form to take. It is [illegible] to get them and [illegible] you can get [illegible] and [illegible] relieve you. But be sure to get the genuine GOLD MEDAL brand. In [illegible] three sizes.—Advertisement.

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If taken in time this Calcerb compound lessens the risk of chronic throat or lung trouble. It checks the [illegible] and [illegible] are combined in this [illegible] compound. At druggists. Try them today.

50 cents a box, including war tax

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TO APPLY WAR ZONE METHODS TO CITY LIFE

[illegible]ngfield, June 7.—Hundreds of [illegible] are seeking information about [illegible]sive war zone methods which [illegible] to be applied to city life have [illegible]

[illegible] Massachusetts Committee [illegible] the Women's Land Army of America [illegible] a series of [illegible] which Miss [illegible] of New York, national [illegible] of the Women's Land Army [illegible] conference [illegible] Miss [illegible] of New York [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] gathered into a war zone, based [illegible] the association progresses, [illegible] the [illegible] a history, an annual conference [illegible] be held [illegible] in [illegible] the new familiar forest green [illegible] with the red triangle emblem [illegible] a service basing men frequently [illegible] groups arriving here. The uniformed delegates are those working [illegible] the Y. M. C. A. War Work Council.

Preceding the main conference the [illegible] department held a morning [illegible] session of [illegible] Council delegates [illegible] the activities among the [illegible] and [illegible] leaders of the War [illegible] movement were [illegible] a luncheon [illegible] addressed [illegible] Industrial Opportunities of the [illegible] Young Women's Christian Association [illegible] was presented to the gathering in the [illegible] people of four communities [illegible] the United States. It [illegible] New York will speak tomorrow morning on a phase relating to men [illegible] the [illegible] open.

I. Wilbur Messer of Chicago speaks Monday morning on opportunities for co-operation with association men of [illegible] Florida.

[illegible] Hubert of Hartford speaks Tuesday morning on opportunities among the [illegible] people.

Summing up, Dr. George L. Fisher of New York will report Tuesday on the securing and training of [illegible] necessary to meet these opportunities

ARMY AND NAVY AMERICAN

DEMOCRACY — BOSTON, FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1918 — LIBERTY

BRIDGE BLOWN UP TO CHECK FOE AT AYER

By WILLIAM FLYNN.

[illegible] civilian [illegible] graduates of [illegible] officers' training camp will [illegible] become used for service [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] being [illegible] here shortly after the [illegible] September. The [illegible] at the Ayer [illegible] reason for the [illegible] of a second training battalion.

While the Depot Brigade and the rest of the cantonment are well fortified in the matter of infantry officers [illegible] of the artillery officers who [illegible] to the 76th Division have been transferred out of the cantonment, and the personnel of the battalion now in training will probably constitute the nuclei of the next artillery brigade to be formed here.

The foundation for the new division is rapidly being laid and several officers in the depot brigade are being [illegible] to the 76th division [illegible] experience in the service they will later be called upon to fill in their own division. As a result, when the camp for the new division enters the [illegible] relations with the depot brigade will be very close. The depot brigade [illegible] line for promotion has [illegible] to the new division and [illegible] is [illegible] that speaks well for [illegible] success of the embryo organization.

HURL GRENADES AND BOMBS.

Bridge and bomb throwing under [illegible] war conditions demonstrated [illegible] use of grenade and bombers directed by Lieutenant Terry Mallory of the French Military Mission, [illegible] the attention of the members of the [illegible] School on the grenade field today. Over the rifle [illegible] a demonstration of the American society of long range, holding their [illegible] a report of a Worcester [illegible] terrain with [illegible] automatic rifle [illegible] trench mortar exhibition was staged [illegible] Under the supervision of Colonel Barden of the [illegible] grenades.

This afternoon the stellar attraction of the "Battle of Mock River" took place before the members of the staff school. After batting all week [illegible] artillery and light batteries to [illegible] aspire their objectives, the men in the war strength battalion under Major Reginald Barlow of the 302nd Infantry were suddenly counter-attacked by five divisions of enemy troops.

Although the New England soldiers fought bravely, they were compelled to retreat to save themselves from being annihilated. The battalion retired in good order and at the same time maintained a merciless fire against the overwhelming odds that were driving them back. The American forces [illegible] across Stillwater and the 301st Engineers blew up the bridges as the infantrymen and artillerymen [illegible] the advance of the enemy from the heights of Stillwater village. The retreat is scheduled to [illegible] tomorrow with two lectures in the Liberty Theatre

NIGHT RAID WITH FLARES.

Many of the division officers watched the first night raid with flares by members of the division bayonet school, who have been training under Captain R. L. H. Goodsy of the British Military Mission on the bayonet assault course back of the base hospital. The enemy consisted of thirty members of the fourth officers' training camp, who were entrenched in trenches on the opposite side of the field.

The attacking force were supposed to be members of a relief party which moved up into the front line trenches and did their best to prevent being seen in the light of flares sent up by the enemy. A heavy artillery barrage was simulated by the explosion of one hundred sticks of dynamite, set off in imitation salvos, which "No Man's Land," as the attacking force with unsheathed bayonets and gas masks at "alert" advanced toward the enemy lines.

They were preceded by bombers, who mopped out the front line trenches as the enemy was driven back through communication trenches into the support trench

EDITORIAL

The trade testing idea that is to be introduced at Camp Devens as quickly as possible should save the army a lot of waste time and money in picking out the right man for every job in the camp.

Army officials hereafter will refuse to take and "rookie's" word as to what he can do. He will have to produce the goods.

An elaborate set of practical examinations for chauffeurs, mechanics, carpenters and experts in various other trades are being prepared for all who set forth any of the qualifications in their personal cards. The tests are so thorough that only a man who knows his business can pass them.

As a result the army authorities will be able to tell quickly whether a man is what he represents himself to be and whether he is able to fill any position to which he may be assigned. The new plan should promote the efficiency of the army as a whole. If successful at Devens it probably will be introduced throughout the country.

SAILORS MUST SHOW TAGS OF IDENTITY

By S. HARRY FERRIS.

Aboard the Receiving Ship at Boston, June 7.—In common with the rest of the navy, things are moving [illegible] on board the Receiving Ship. The enlisted force is being jacked up in many ways that makes the men realize that they are in for a serious business.

For one thing, in the past the sailors have been careless about wearing the identification tags that they are supposed to have about their persons at all times. Some of the boys have lost and others have misplaced their tags, and so long as they were on board the ship have not thought the matter of sufficient importance to report to their superior officers.

Hereafter, according to an order from Captain W. A. Edgar, commander of the ship, every man will have to have his tag suspended about his neck at inspection. If it is not there back it will have to be a pretty good explainer to escape bread and water and the brig.

The ships swimming instructor, Alexander Donald Sutherland, who also has charge of natatorial instruction for the whole Receiving Ship force, is planning to have the sailors and marines take part in the sports of Navy Day in the Charles River.

He is now having the material whipped into shape for a 200-yard relay race and a half-mile swim. For the relay race he proposes to select the four fastest swimmers that he can find and then put them against a team made up of four instructors. The latter will be Elliot Church, William Harvey, Leo Handy and Instructor Sutherland.

To make the contest interesting the instructors will give a handicap of three or four seconds to their competitors.

Baseball is practically dead in so far as any general interest in the game among the men of the ship is concerned. The game that it was expected might be saved with the Pelham Bay nine has been called off indefinitely. No money and no way of getting any money for necessary expenses were the reasons for not playing the game. The sailors who wish to can still bat a soft ball around the South Boston playground, if they wish to, on afternoons when they have liberty leave.

A big batch of printing equipment, including several presses, type, mitring machines, drying racks, etc., have arrived for the Pier-E-Scope office. Only a part of it can be set up at present on account of the limited space allotted to the plant. Larger quarters are promised for the near future.

Patriotic Food Rallies

The women's committee on food conservation of Cambridge will hold patriotic rallies for food and clothing conservation today and tomorrow at the Latin School hall. There will be lectures and demonstrations of war time cooking. Tonight Mrs. Mary Schenk Woolman will lecture on clothing conservation.

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Are You Doing Your Bit to Help Bring Massachusetts to Lead Among the States

in raising the $2,000,000,000 (Massachusetts' quota is $78,000,000) that our government expects from the universal purchase of

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The Extra Good Values and Extra Good Making

Result in an Extra Big Demand for

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Children's and Misses' Long and Short Silk Gloves ..... 65c & $1.15

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves—White, white with black embroidery, black, mastic, gray, navy 65c

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves—White with [illegible] broidery on back, black with [illegible] broidery 75c

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves—Gray, mastic, navy, tan and white $1.00

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves—Gray, mastic, tan, navy, brown, white and black $1.25

Women's 2-Clasp Silk Gloves—In white with gray, black and mastic, embroidery on the back, also a band of silk at wrist to match stitching on back $1.75

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POLICE PERFECT PLANS FOR NAVY DAY CROWD

The officials of the Metropolitan Park police have entered enthusiastically into the preparations for the Navy Day celebration to be held in the Charles River Basin June 22, on orders from Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, commandant of the First Naval District.

Superintendent West and Lieutenant Chapman of the police have assured Lieutenant Leon M. Little, chairman of the Carnival Committee, that the basin, with all the equipment in the hands of the park police, will be at his disposal for the day.

Through the co-operation of the park police, several floats, a hand wagon, tents for the swimmers to use for dressing rooms and a whole fleet of motor boats are to be enlisted used to help the carnival to success.

Through an arrangement made by Lieutenant Little and Lieutenant Chapman and [illegible] of the navy provost guard will be [illegible] to work with the Metropolitan police to help [illegible] the huge crowd which is expected [illegible] the Esplanade on [illegible] day of the carnival.

Every man and woman in the First Naval District from Admiral Wood down to the newest enlisted woman, is now [illegible] with information to make Navy Day a success. In the offices at the Little Building and at the navy yard as well as every ship and station on the district [illegible] sets, plans are [illegible] for the end of making the biggest event ever held in Boston.

A notice posted on the bulletin board at the Naval Headquarters by Chief Yeoman Mc[illegible], in the office of the Military Chief, asking for volunteers for [illegible] the [illegible] on a boat race brought nineteen applications in the first two hours. These crews will [illegible] the [illegible] and the [illegible] be one of the attractions of the program. Meanwhile each crew hopes to get a sheep from the Navy [illegible] in the first of the week and will start training in the basin.

"I know we can get the crew into good [illegible] by the [illegible] second," said Miss Sage today, "and we aren't afraid of not having enough here, but I don't feel so sure about those Portsmouth people. I hear they have been practicing up there for weeks and are going to bring down a crew that will [illegible] some prize. Still we are not [illegible] our preparations and [illegible] in the [illegible] day.

The Wasp's [illegible] crews are also getting [illegible] to take to the water for the [illegible] every possible occasion for this reason that the time is short before the carnival and they want to get into perfect condition for the race.

The committee today announced that several of the new 110-foot patrol boats of the Navy will be sent up into the basin on Navy Day to [illegible] days hence and to accommodate distinguished guests, if the submarine situation outside had sufficiently cleared up by that time to permit of their leaving the patrol.

"The Service Staff"

Sometimes Called Salesmen

IN one of our recent advertisements we happened on that phrase "The service staff, sometimes called salesmen."

From our standpoint they're salesmen; from yours they're service men. They're here to help you buy, more than to get you to buy; what *you* want, not what we want.

You Want
Hart Schaffner & Marx
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You may not know it; we know it. You want good clothes; you want to be sure they **are** good; the Hart Schaffner & Marx name in them is a sign of it.

Both Stores: At Franklin and Washington 2nd Floor for Young Men. And Boylston at Washington

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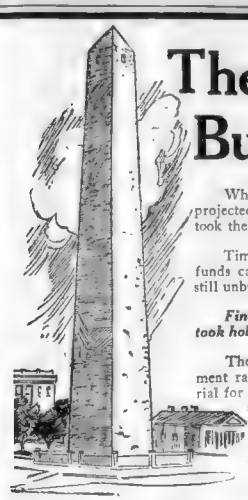
Two Stores: Franklin at Washington — Boylston at Washington



The Spirit of Bunker Hill

When Bunker Hill Monument was projected the men of Massachusetts undertook the task.

Time went on; the movement lagged; funds came in slowly; the monument was still unbuilt.

Finally the women of Massachusetts took hold!

Then things hummed; and the monument raised its head skyward as a memorial for all time to American Independence and to the energy of Massachusetts womanhood!

Today the spirit of Bunker Hill is again called to the colors.

Women of Massachusetts, Mobilize!

The United States Government has asked Massachusetts to buy $78,000,000 of War Savings Stamps. We are far behind.

We rank 37th out of 48 States!

Women in every city and town of the state are therefore asked to canvass every home, office and factory and thus help obtain the 1,000,000 pledges to buy War Savings Stamps for which the President has called.

When the President calls, shall it be said that Massachusetts lagged?

While German submarines come almost into our harbors and sink our vessels, shall it be said that Massachusetts held back her dollars?

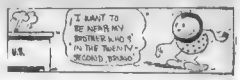
You are needed for

June Drive for War Savings Stamps

NATIONAL WAR SAVINGS COMMITTEE
Robert F. Herrick, Director for Massachusetts

CLIMBING THE LADDER OF FAME BECOMES EASY AFTER ONE HAS GONE UP A FEW RUNGS

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS



JACKSON NEVER FAILED TO HIT AT .300 CLIP

By JACK VEIOCK

New York, June 7.—When Joe Jackson left the W[illegible] to become a shipbuilder, [illegible] placed in Class A1 of the army [illegible]

JOE JACKSON ALWAYS A MEMBER OF EFFETE .300 SWATDOM COLONY

[illegible]

[illegible] Cleveland, A. L.	.387
1911—Cleveland, A. L.	.408
1[illegible]—Cleveland, A. L.	.395
1[illegible]—Cleveland, A. L.	.373
1[illegible]—Cleveland, A. L.	.338
19[illegible]—Cleveland, A. L.	.333
1[illegible]—Chicago, A. L.	.341
[illegible]—Chicago, A. L.	.301
Average for eight years	.359.5

[illegible] has surprised a good many [illegible] no matter who Joe left the [illegible] he was a hard player with a punch [illegible] was a heavy hitter [illegible]

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CHOW MEIN ORIENTAL STYLE
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Vegetables, Tea or Coffee
A la Carte from 11 A. M. to 12 P. M.
PHONE HAY MARKET 1[illegible]
Special Lunch Served Daily

HURLS GOTCH CLUB. Howard Lewis, who finish a month ago [illegible] his switch from that of a big league pitcher to a raw rookie in Uncle Sam's National Army. He had been at Camp Devens only ten days or so when he was made a sergeant in the artillery. Also he is one of eight sergeants bound for "over there." In the picture Mr. and Sergeant Lewis. Beside, formerly Miss Amy Arnold, of Omaha, Neb. The other lady is Mrs. Otto Merz, wife of the Omaha pitcher.

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OVERALL'S EYE IS JUST AS GOOD AS OLD WHIP

Ora Overall, one of Frank Chance's old stand-bys on the Chicago Cubs [illegible] in their prime, has developed [illegible] of the trap shooting stars on the Pacific Coast. He registered 46 out of a possible 100 targets in the Pacific Coast special event at Los Angeles May 25. Overall was also one of the high guns at the recent California-Nevada state shoot.

YALE NEWS COMES OUT STRONG FOR FOOTBALL

New Haven, June 7.—The Yale Daily News in an editorial, issues a strong plea for the resumption of Yale, Harvard and Princeton football next fall. The News says: "It is [illegible] as of the past year has shown the [illegible] easily and important to keep [illegible] up all forms of college sports.

"It points to the fact that West Point and Annapolis have not abandoned sports and that there is no good reason why Yale, Harvard and Princeton should. Lack of coal is the lack of funds and lack of material. Certainly no adequate excuse for giving up football, the paper says.

"The News demands immediate action and says all the undergraduates are of one mind on this subject."

LOT OF OLD FAVORITES HURLING OUT ON COAST

Walter Leverett, former St. Louis [illegible], is finding the life of coast league pitchers. He's a [illegible] of the [illegible] after [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

FOOD FOR THOUGHT NEVER SEEMS TO FATTEN THE INTELLECTUALITY OF SOME MEN

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

RAIN AGAIN HOLDS UP BRAVES

Stallings Well Pleased With Enforced Layoff; Upham Ready to Get Going on Start

By NICK FLATLEY.

A day of rest, according to Manager Stallings, was just the thing for the Braves and along that same line of reckoning two games are just twice as good.

Today's battle between the Braves and Reds was called off on account of the rain.

The layoff comes in just right for Captain Charles Lincoln Herzog, who could not have played, and the way things are now the Iron Duke is a very necessary person to have about.

He was sporting a very sore digit. The finger was knocked out of joint but has recovered quickly, and the Cap is all set to go into play as the rest of the gang is to have him.

A day or two of rest, according to Manager Christy Mathewson, was just the thing for the Reds. It gave the pitchers, who have been working hard this week, a needed respite, and now the Ol' Master can shout the best he has at the Braves for the remaining of the series.

A day of rest as ordering to some of the crowd yesterday never should have been, but as a matter of fact it put off the game was a wise enough move.

It was not playing weather at the start and as the forenoon grew enthusiastic the joint the word have been called anyhow. Those who objected will have a chance later in the summer to see the game and another with it, all for one admission check.

Boston fans, are this series goes into the new will have a couple of new ball players introduced to them at Joe Hall. Bill Upham is Paul Rudolph is all right. Rudolph are twins at that.

Upham has a lively good, decided change of delivery stock. And I intend stating a bunch right away Rudolph is ready now or

If the rain passes on the come through, the Braves will follow suit as you're born. We have the batting and the fielding and it looks like a great pitching year for us, too.

The miracle manager hasn't heard a thing about Jeff Pfeffer, who is making overtime these days for the Athletics.

INDOOR SPORTS
U-GG-H SOMEONE OUGHTA KILL THAT WHILE ITS HAPPY
NIX JIM NIX— HE'S MAZIES FELLER— LET HIM RAVE
OH MARIE— WILL BE FU-RI-OU-S IF YOU SAY ANYTHING
TE-HEE I THINK THAT'S THE FUN-NIEST THING
GEE! WISH I CUD WHISTLE LIKE THAT 100-100
THE KID'S CLEVER
INDOOR SPORTS.
TRYING TO BE PATIENT AS THE INVITED GUEST WHISTLES AN ACCOMPANYMENT TO THE PHONOGRAPH TUNES

INDOOR SPORTS

By TAD

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LEONARD'S TURN TO TOPPLE INDIANS

Red Sox Regain Old Confidence After Great 1 to 0 Ten-Inning Victory

Cleveland, June 7. Stanley Coveleskie, eminent spit-baller of the clan of Polit, went ballooning in the tenth round, in the second combat of the set of five with the Red Sox, and thereby permitted the Hub boys to annex just about the niftiest battle of the season.

A single tally was registered in the meantime anires. The always brilliant Hooper got it. He was started on his 360 feet journey on a free pass and helped along on two successive wide heaves by Coveleskie.

Opposed to the Cleveland topliner was Sam Jones who went to Boston from the Speakerites. Jones was pulled off two years ago. It was the second time Sam opposed the Feds, this season. He lost to Boston Guy Morton turning in a one-hit game, thus making it practically impossible for the ex-Indian to be bracketed.

Jones had another tough brush, but this time he came out of it on top. His game was a masterly one. He was in tight quarters several times, but never weakened; in fact, it was in the pinches when Jones did his best work.

PILL HOUSE; NO RUNS.

For instance he lost his control in the ninth and filled up the bases with only one game Wambsganss and Roth, the mighty efficient leaguemakers in the pinch, were the Foxworthers who faced Jones in this tense situation. He whiffed the former and made the reformed Robert slash an easy roller to Scott.

Here's how the hectic clash terminated, a synopsis of the big run the Red Sox got over the plate in the tenth frame: Hooper was first up, and his patience was rewarded with a free ticket to first. Duncan fanned. Coveleskie had plenty of time to head off Hooper at second, but his throw to Chapman was wide, and both men were safe.

Jones also laid down the bal. Coveleskie did not have a chance to head off Hooper at third, but Stanley was rattled and jugged, anyhow. His throw arrived too late and the sacks were packed, with no Boston defenses.

Ruth followed with a hot smack over second, which Wambsganss dug up in phenomenal fashion, but all he could do was to head off Strunk moving over to third. Strunk scampered over the plate with the run that settled the matinee. Mcinnis walked, making all the bases full. Then Fred Thomas struck out and Scott's best was a pop fly.

JONES KEEPS IN HIGH.

In Cleveland's half of the tenth Jones kept up his good work, and retired the side in order without any difficulty. Where Sam pitched himself out of that tight hole in the ninth, his supporters saved him from ruin in the eighth.

With one out Joe Wood smacked out a long drive and Miller walked. Steven O'Neill busted the ball on the nose but Scott went over for a spectacular stop and started a timely twin killing going.

Only five hits were gathered off Jones and the two of these were acquired by pinch hitters. Sam gave only five tickets to first, but was unsteady only in one session, the ninth.

Coveleski held the Red Sox down to three hits. Hooper singled in the first and Fred Thomas inserted one-shots in the second and fourth. Thereafter, nary a safety smacked out by the visitors.

NO HITS FOR RUTH.

Babe Ruth had a bad day on the attack; the big fellow didn't as much as pole out his daily homer. He went up four times in all, but turned back just as often by Coveleskie.

Circus Batterine Babe was whiffed on three straight bats. He took three lusty swings at 'em, but failed to disturb anything but the ozone.

Among Jones' feats was the striking out of Speaker. Sam is the first right-hander whiffing Tris this season and the Texan has been in forty-six combats and faced Walter Johnson, Carl Mays, Eddie Cicotte George Dauss and the rest of them.

It was to be Carl Mays or No-Hit Hubert Leonard against Fred Coumbe or Jim Bagby today. That leaves Babe Ruth to have it out with Guy Morton tomorrow, when the lawn bids fair to be packed.

Boote to Pilot Wesleyan

Middletown, Ct., June 7.—Edward S. Boote of East Orange, N. J., has been elected captain of next year's Wesleyan College nine.

STANDING of the CLUBS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	31	15	.674
New York	31	16	.660
BRAVES	18	24	.429
St. Louis	17	24	.415
Pittsburgh	15	27	.357
Philadelphia	15	28	.349
Brooklyn	13	29	.310
Cincinnati	12	30	.286

Today's Games.

Chicago at Boston. 3:15 p. m.
St. Louis at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.

Yesterday's Results.

At Boston, Chicago-Boston, rain.
At New York, St. Louis 4, New York 0.
At Philadelphia, Cincinnati 5, Philadelphia 4.
At Brooklyn, Pittsburgh 6, Brooklyn 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
RED SOX	29	17	.630
Cleveland	29	20	.592
New York	28	20	.583
Washington	27	24	.529
Chicago	24	25	.490
St. Louis	20	30	.400
Detroit	18	31	.367
Philadelphia	12	34	.261

Today's Games.

Red Sox at Cleveland.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Chicago, rain.
Washington at Detroit.

Yesterday's Results.

At Cleveland—Red Sox 1, Cleveland 0 (10 innings).
At Detroit—Washington 8, Detroit 2 (6 innings).
At St. Louis—New York 4, St. Louis 2 (10 innings).
At Chicago—Philadelphia-Chicago, rain.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Bridgeport	31	16	.660
Hartford	24	20	.545
Providence	23	20	.535
New Haven	21	21	.500
Springfield	20	23	.465
Worcester	21	26	.447
Waterbury	16	31	.340
Pittsfield	11	36	.234

Today's Games.

Waterbury at Hartford.
New London at Springfield.
Pittsfield at New Haven.
Worcester at Bridgeport.

Yesterday's Results.

Hartford 11, Springfield 4.
New London 3, Waterbury 2.
Bridgeport 7, Providence 1.
New Haven-Worcester, rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul 4, Toledo 3.
Indianapolis 3, Minneapolis 0.
Louisville 4, Kansas City 2.
Columbus-Milwaukee, wet grounds.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Baltimore 11, Jersey City 0.
All other games postponed.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Memphis 2, New Orleans 1.
Birmingham 3, Mobile-Atlanta 1 (8 innings).
Chattanooga 6, Atlanta 4.

MADONNA TO MAKE HIS DEBUT AT BEACH OVAL

The first double bike bill of the season will be staged at the Revere cycle track tomorrow night and will include a three-cornered 25-mile motor paced race and a special sprint. In the motor paced event Mark Madonna, Italian champion, will make his 1914 debut. His opponent will be Wiley and Sater.

In the sprint, Tom Sullivan of New Haven, Ct., and Lloyd Thomas will have it out. A well-balanced card of amateur and professional events will complete the program.

Today's High School Games

Arranged by Waterman at Watertown street grounds, Roxbury at Wash... Brookline at Commercial at Roxan Park, Dorchester.

MAGNATES WANT LOWER RAIL RATES

National League Owners Vote to Ask Commission for Special Ruling

New York, June 7.—At a meeting of National League magnates held at local headquarters it was decided to co-operate with all other organized baseball interests in a request for a hearing before the Railroad Commission in regard to the proposed increase in mileage rates.

The matter will be taken up with the commission in view of the traveling commitments made months ago when the season's schedule was adopted.

The advance in mileage and Pullman rates will add considerably to the operating expenses of the clubs, and the magnates are hopeful that a special ruling can be made in view of the fact that all arrangements for the various circuit trips were made at the very beginning of the season.

The question of the effect of General Crowder's order relative to all men of draft age doing essential war work or serving with the army or navy also came up for discussion. It was decided to await a formal interpretation of the order and a concrete case involving a National League player.

A ruling was adopted to cover the case of a player who, after joining the army or navy, secures a furlough and returns to his club for the purpose of playing one or more games.

It was decided that no such player should be eligible to play unless he carried the written permission of his commanding officer and unless his club was under the twenty-three-player limit. After September 1 such players will not be permitted to take part in a league game under any circumstances.

There was no unfavorable comment upon the present baseball conditions, the consensus of opinion being that the season and the support was all that could be asked under the circumstances.

There was no opposition to discuss a curtailing of the regularly scheduled meetings and the magnates present were unanimously in favor of the complet on of the Fall pennant race.

Braves' New Pitcher Is a Giant and Looks Good to Stallings

By NICK FLATLEY.

Bill Upham, spitball pitcher of the Braves, is being touted by the wise observers of that outfit as a second Bill James. He resembles Tireless Bill in some respects, for he stands some six feet three inches and tips the beam well over the 200-pound mark.

He will resemble him in other ways, too, it is confidently declared. His spitball is one of the best witnessed by the bull-pen scouts, and, in addition, he has a lot of other stuff. He's been in the game often long enough, also, to know the ropes.

He became a Brave more by accident than anything else. Early in season Manager Stallings met Roger Bresnahan and Bill Clymer out Chicago way. George T. mentioned to these American Association managers that he was shy of pitchers.

He wanted a spitballer, especially. Both old timers immediately boosted Upham. So Stallings sent for him and signed him up.

The pitcher, who was the property of the St. Paul Club, did not think it worth while to report this season when his league put the ban on the moist delivery. So there was no trouble in attaching him to the Brave roster.

Records of Rival Pitchers in Series of Braves-Reds

The appended figures give an intimate line on how the pitchers of the Braves and Reds, who were to begin a series on Braves Field today, have fared in historical games from April, 1913, to date:

BRAVES' PITCHERS
VS. CINCINNATI TEAM

Pitchers.	Trs.	W.	L.	P.C.
Hearn	1	1	0	1000
Pilgrim	1	1	0	1000
Rudolph	4	10	7	.588
[illegible]	4	5	4	.556
Hughes	4	3	8	.429
Nehf	8	3	5	.375
Grand total	— 23	20	—	.535

REDS' PITCHERS
VS. BOSTON TEAM

Pitchers.	Trs.	W.	L.	P.C.
Ressler	1	1	0	1000
Eller	2	3	1	.750
Toney	4	7	7	.500
Schneider	4	7	8	.467
Ring	1	2	2	.333
Regan	2	1	3	.250
Smith	2	0	1	.000
Reuther	2	0	1	.000
Grand total	— 20	23	—	.465

CHICK WEST IN BEST OF TRIM FOR GOULA

Holyoke Welterweight Confident of Disposing of Woonsocket Battler at C. A. C. Commercial A. C. Card

Final bout—Chick West of Holyoke vs. Young Goula of Woonsocket, R. I., ten rounds.

Semi-final—Battling Joe Thomas vs. Haywood Briggs of Brockton, ten rounds.

Second preliminary—Billy Woods of Manchester, N. H., vs. Dan McCormack of East Boston, ten rounds.

Curtain-raiser—Young Donahue of Woonsocket, R. I., vs. Johnny Fallon of Lawrence, six rounds.

Referee—Larry Conley.

Starting time—8 p. m.

By J. P. MURPHY.

Chick West of Holyoke, just now in the throes of a successful comeback, and Young Goula, sturdy Woonsocket battler, are scheduled to furnish the principal number at the all-star fistic show at the Commercial A. C. tonight.

The bill consists of three ten-round bouts and a six-round curtain-raiser.

It is evident West is expecting a rugged session, for he has done an unusual amount of training the past five days. Besides, he has perfected a new defence, presumably with the idea of offsetting Goula's rapid-fire attacks.

Battling Joe Thomas meets Panama Joe Gans in the ten-round semi-final. Another mill at the same distance brings together Dan McCormack of East Boston, and Billy Woods of Manchester, N. H. The six-rounder between Woonsocket Johnny Fallon of Lawrence and Young Donahue of Woonsocket.

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Despite all reports to the contrary Joe Eagan of Dorchester has not given up the boxing game. Joe has placed his pugilistic affairs in the hands of James J. Murphy and through him has challenged Tommy Robson to another match on a winner-take-all basis.

Murphy declared today that Joe's knockout at the hands of Robson at the Arena Tuesday night was legitimate, but the result of a wild swing as Eagan came off the ropes. He believes that Joe, if given another chance, will stop the Malden boy inside the limit.

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"Sauce Night" will be celebrated at the Douglas A. C. Chelsea next Monday night when two members of the noted East Boston biff family appear in the final and semi-final matches.

Jimmy, or rather Young Cola of Saugus, lightweight champion of his district, will engage Young McGowan of Philadelphia, in the principal bout at twelve rounds, and Frank is scheduled to meet Joe Melanson in the semi-finale, in a ten-rounder.

The latter action is the result of a long drawn out argument between Melanson and Jimmy Sacco. Jimmy has agreed to fight Melanson, if the latter defeats Frank.

Besides these bouts there will be an all-around affair between S. Roberts of Chelsea and Matty Fox of Charlestown, and Johnny Gray of Chelsea and Girard Grandi of Lawrence.

RUNS SCORED

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

From May 31 to June 6, Inclusive.

	Boston	St. Louis	Chicago	Pittsburgh	Brooklyn	Philadelphia	New York	Cincinnati
Friday	1	2	4	*12	*	5	*	*
Saturday	3	6	2	4	2	0	3	5
Sunday	*	*	*	3	*	*	5	6
Monday	3	15	3	0	2	2	3	2
Tuesday	2	3	2	3	2	1	1	9
Wednesday	3	6	4	7	7	3	2	4
Thursday	*13	6	6	3	*	0	1	1
Totals	11	51	18	22	14	10	15	35

High—St. Louis 12. Low—Pittsburgh-Philadelphia 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

From May 31 to June 6, Inclusive.

	Boston	St. Louis	Cleveland	Washington	Chicago	New York	Detroit	Philadelphia
Friday	*	2	3	*	3	*	*	4
Saturday	3	6	3	11	8	6	4	5
Sunday	3	5	4	0	6	2	2	3
Monday	†5	2	5	3	1	2	0	2
Tuesday	*	7	1	5	3	3	4	6
Wednesday	*	5	4	4	3	3	4	5
Thursday	—	1	0	*	4	2	5	7
Totals	23	17	30	23	28	24	22	37

High—New York 6. Low—Cleveland 0.

*No game.
†Two games.

BUNTS AND BINGLES

By H. W. LANIGAN.

HATS OFF to Fred Mitchell. Even sans the mighty Alexander he has the Cubs out in front here today and he got up and came through on foreign soil too. Everyone was rooting for the Phils during the last few innings when it looked like Pitt would run wild. Such ingredients as Jack Barry, Eddie Collins and Joe Jackson were all doing their stuff against the Phillies' pitching, but Fred kept his head and his men in the game and finally made the going easy for Tillie.

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At New York, the Cardinals piled up twelve runs off three of McGraw's pitchers. Andrew Lewis and Schupp, and even Tillie Walker also let Jack Hendricks was forced to send in a pinch hitter in order to stop the rout. Schupp worked the ninth inning. Twas the first time Schupp start this year and he started by being bombarded for three runs. He was treated for two hits, hit a batter and passed another.

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NICK ALTROCK got credited with the National's ninth win over Detroit. The clown pitcher-coach-umpire started the game and finished it. He was in the box for the Nationals for exactly one inning, that eight hit, record a single run that was growing wabbly, and Griffith yanked him, to the sick of time. Altrock went to Dick's recess and served the soup.

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G. JENNINGS had Ty Cobb on first. The king emitted odd kind safely two of his four trips to the pan, one of his drives going for a double. Ty Cobb was on first, but Cobb was not content to stay there, but found a hole in the fourth inning and made a dash for second. Jennings was on the lookout for such a play and he had the ball in his hands when Ty arrived. Cobb was declared safe, but Jennings protested and the umpire changed his decision. Cobb was out, retired to the bench and Jennings was fined $25 for protesting the decision.

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ANOTHER TIMELY triple was for the Yankees out in St. Louis. When Pickle Bill Piercy broke up Wednesday's matinee with a single also with the bases full. Pipp is credited a like amount in the tenth inning, but it did the work. Rogers had the batter of his life with Love and Mogridge, so far as the hit total was concerned.

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Every Article on This Page Is Well Worth Reading

Magazine Page

Friday, June 7

See the Eclipse Tomorrow

TOMORROW is the day of the solar eclipse, visible only as a partial eclipse outside a narrow patch running from the State of Washington to Florida. The eclipse occurs in the afternoon. In Boston about two-thirds of the sun's diameter will be co[illegible]

"Moral Suicide"

A SERIAL OF LOVE AND LIFE

Waverly Makes a Tragedy Out of Nothing Under the Trees With Lads of Neighborhood

Who's Who in the New Film Story

Richard Covington..... John Mason
Beatrice Covington..... Anne Luther
Fay Hope..... Leah Baird
Waverly Covington..... Jack McLean
Dr. Daniels..... Will [illegible]ome
Lucy Daniels..... Claire Whitney
"Lucky" Travers..... Allan Hale
Rodman Daniels..... [illegible] Mason

[illegible]

Richard Covington, [illegible] is devoted to his daughter and his son Waverly. [illegible] in love with Rodman [illegible] brother George has [illegible] her cousin Lucy. [illegible] Fay Hope, visits Covington [illegible] to ask his advice about [illegible] Her beauty and manner [illegible] Covington. Rodman [illegible] wrapped up in her [illegible] man to notice her [illegible] occupation. He ceases [illegible] with his son and [illegible] Fay Hope. She meets [illegible] "Lucky" Travers, and [illegible] she can lure on Covington [illegible] interests Travers as [illegible] The father [illegible] daughters birthday [illegible]

By Ann Lisle

[Novelized from the Successful Motion Picture Eternal. Scenario by Ivan Abramson.]

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OUT under the trees sat Waverly Covington, head in hands, despondent, pained, thought. Two young lads from a neighboring estate, coming up the path and observing him, gaily greeting Waverly, saw that he was interrupted, broke off his conversation to ask his advice about [illegible] Her beauty and manner [illegible] Covington. Rodman was [illegible] wrapped up in her [illegible] man to notice her [illegible] occupation. He ceases [illegible] with his son and [illegible] Fay Hope. She meets [illegible] "Lucky" Travers, and [illegible] she can lure on Covington [illegible] interests Travers as [illegible] The father [illegible] daughters birthday [illegible]

[illegible] was [illegible] the [illegible] of her brother [illegible] Waverly [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Krazy Kat

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LIL' RAY—WHO IS HE IMITATING TODAY?

BARON BEAN

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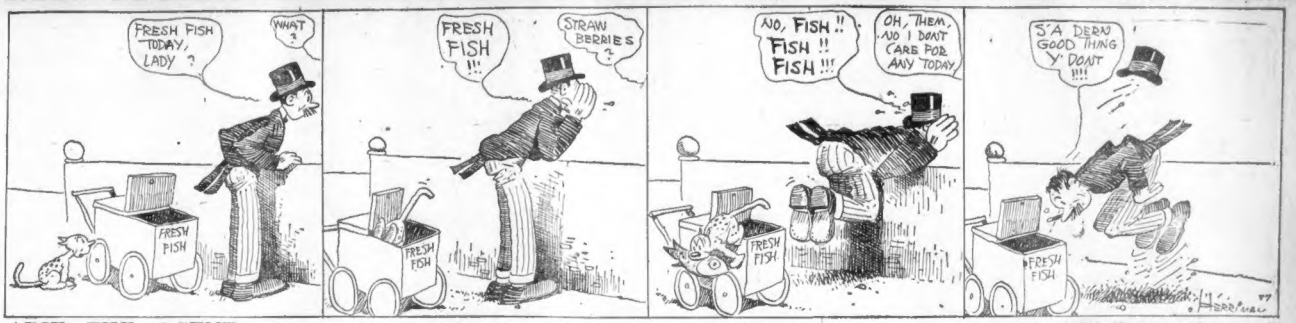
Business Cares Will Kill the Baron



ABIE THE AGENT

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And Well Abie Knows It

FROM WHO CAN I HENDLE A TOUCH? — I NEED RIGHT AWAY $25 QUICK! IT SEEMS MONEH IS GETTING KIND OF HARD TO GREB!
LISTEN, MEYER, COULD YOU LEND ME $25 FOR A FEW DAYS?
SORRY, ABE, BUT I REALLY CAN'T SPARE IT!
GEE, ABE, I'M LOOKING TO MAKE A TOUCH MYSELF!
THENKS ANYHOE I'LL GO BY MY CLUB AND SEE MAYBE I'LL GET!
WHY, IN 1872, MY UNCLE MADE FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ONE WEEK, IN THE JUNK BUSINESS!
YEP, FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS — THAT CERTAINLY WAS A LOT OF MONEY!
IT STILL IS.

POLLY AND HER PALS

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It's Just Wearing 'Em on the Outside

HEAVENS! HAS THEM PLAGUED PEPLUM BLOUSES CAME INTO FASHION AGIN?
THEYRE ALL THE RAGE, MA. SO GET IN THE GAME!
AN' WHAT IF I REFUSE TO MAKE A FREAK OF MYSELF?
DON'T BE FOOLISH.
ONE'S NEVER A FREAK IF ONE FOLLOWS THE FASHION, IT'S THE EXCEPTIONS THAT ARE!
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BEHOLD THE HON. PEPLUM, PA.
LOTS OF PEP, HUH?

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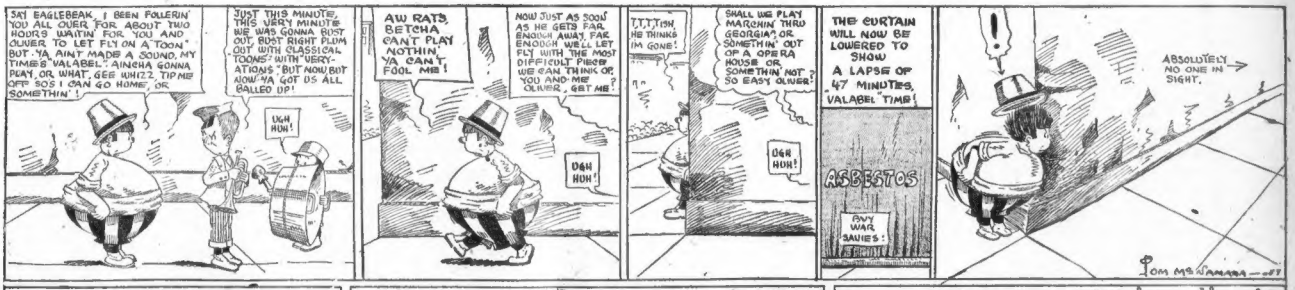
SAY EAGLEBEAK, I BEEN FOLLERIN' YOU ALL OVER FOR ABOUT TWO HOURS WAITIN' FOR YOU AND OUVER TO LET FLY ON A TOON BUT YA AINT MADE A SOUND. MY TIMES VALABEL. AINCHA GONNA PLAY, OR WHAT. GEE WHIZZ, TIP ME OFF SOS I CAN GO HOME, OR SOMETHIN'!
JUST THIS MINUTE, THIS VERY MINUTE WE WAS GONNA BUST OUT BUST RIGHT PLUM OUT WITH CLASSICAL TOONS WITH VERY-ATIONS BUT NOW BUT NOW YA GOT US ALL BALLED UP!
UGH HUH!
AW RATS, BETCHA CAINT PLAY NOTHIN, YA CAINT FOOL ME!
NOW JUST AS SOON AS HE GETS FAR ENOUGH AWAY, FAR ENOUGH WELL LET FLY WITH THE MOST DIFFICULT PIECE WE CAN THINK OF, YOU AND ME OLIVER, GET ME!
UGH HUH!
T.T.T.TISH, HE THINKS IM GONE!
SHALL WE PLAY MARCHIN' THRO GEORGIA, OR SOMETHIN' OUT OF A OPERA HOUSE OR SOMETHIN' NOT SO EASY OLIVER?
UGH HUH!
THE CURTAIN WILL NOW BE LOWERED TO SHOW A LAPSE OF 47 MINUTES, VALABEL TIME!
ASBESTOS
BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS!
ABSOLUTELY NO ONE IN SIGHT.
Tom McNamara

GOAT GRABBERS
THEO RETICAL, THE GINK WHO KNOWS EVERYTHING, BUT CAN DO NOTHING
ILLUSTRATION BY AUTHOR
WELL KNOWS SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY COUGHLAN & RIVERS
GOING OVER HIS WIFE'S MARK
WELL ILL BE!
Answer to Yesterday's
WHY ARE GOOD HUSBANDS LIKE DOUGH? BECAUSE WOMEN KNEAD THEM.
SO THEY TELL US
Here's another!
FROM CLAR —— BROOKLYN.
WHAT WORD CONTAINS 26 LETTERS AND THREE SYLLABLES, BUT CAN BE SPELLED WITH EIGHT LETTERS?
ANSWER TO-MORROW

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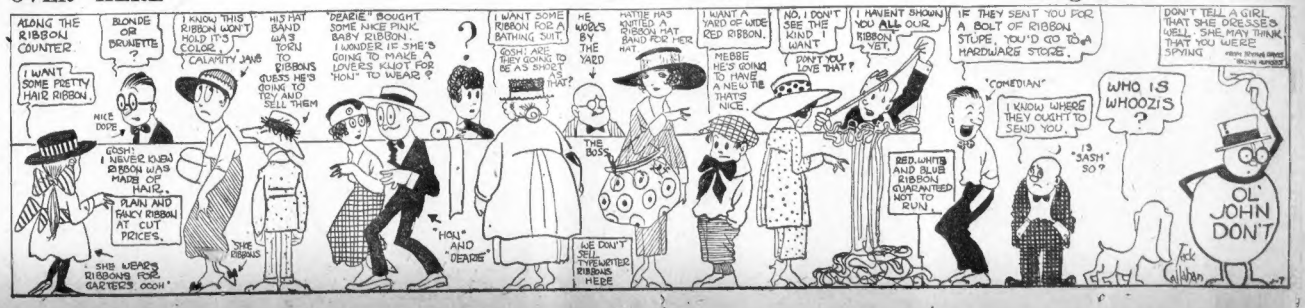
Along the Ribbon Counter


ALONG THE RIBBON COUNTER
I WANT SOME PRETTY HAIR RIBBON.
BLONDE OR BRUNETTE?
NICE DOPE
GOSH! I NEVER KNEW RIBBON WAS MADE OF HAIR.
PLAIN AND FANCY RIBBON AT CUT PRICES.
SHE WEARS RIBBONS FOR GARTERS OOH!
I KNOW THIS RIBBON WON'T HOLD IT'S COLOR, CALAMITY JANE
HIS HAT BAND WAS TORN
TO RIBBONS GUESS HE'S GOING TO TRY AND SELL THEM
"DEARIE" BOUGHT SOME NICE PINK BABY RIBBON. I WONDER IF SHE'S GOING TO MAKE A LOVERS KNOT FOR "HON" TO WEAR?
"HON" AND "DEARIE"
I WANT SOME RIBBON FOR A BATHING SUIT.
GOSH! ARE THEY GOING TO BE AS SHORT AS THAT?
HE WORKS BY THE YARD
THE BOSS
WE DON'T SELL TYPEWRITER RIBBONS HERE
HATTIE HAS KNITTED A RIBBON HAT BAND FOR HER HAT
I WANT A YARD OF WIDE RED RIBBON.
MEBBE HE'S GOING TO HAVE A NEW TIE THAT'S NICE
NO, I DON'T SEE THE KIND I WANT
DON'T YOU LOVE THAT?
I HAVENT SHOWN YOU ALL OUR RIBBON YET.
RED, WHITE AND BLUE RIBBON GUARANTEED NOT TO RUN.
IF THEY SENT YOU FOR A BOLT OF RIBBON STUPE, YOU'D GO TO A HARDWARE STORE.
"COMEDIAN"
I KNOW WHERE THEY OUGHT TO SEND YOU.
"SASH" SO?
DON'T TELL A GIRL THAT SHE DRESSES WELL, SHE MAY THINK THAT YOU WERE SPYING
WHO IS WHOOZIS?
OL' JOHN DON'T
Jack Callahan

AWARD PRIZES TO PUPILS AT LATIN SCHOOL

Honorable Mention Accorded Five for Four-Year Perfect Attendance

Many prizes were awarded today to Boston Latin School students and honorable mention was accorded five students who had a perfect record of attendance during the four-year course at the school. The honorable mention list for the first class exercises are Harold Benedict Bross, Carl Vesey Chandler, John Joseph Harlihy, Vito Mirabile and Henry Wesley Stephen.

Among the important prizes awarded are the Gardner prize, won by Elliott Morton Finkelstein, who was also the winner of the Franklin prize; the Schallenbach prize, won by Morris Goldberg; the John Lowell Gardner prize, won by Francis Xavier Grady, and the class of 1885 prize, won by John Aloysius Sheahan, Powell Homer Humphries, Francis William Roland Kneeland and Paul Reuben Giddings.

Elliott Morton Finkelstein, winner of the Gardner and Derby prizes, was also awarded a prize for translations from the Latin, Harold Hyman Ashenden, an English prize on "Boston," and Carl Norman Breslauer the Franklin medal. Harold Benedict Bross, Henry Albert McCurdy and Joseph Kruger won first, second and third prizes respectively in reading.

The special prize winners were for excellence in classical studies, 27 of which were awarded; for excellence in modern studies, 27 of which were awarded; for general excellence, 12 of which prizes were given, and for exemplary conduct and fidelity, awards being made. Fifteen young men were given honorable mention for conduct above criticism.

EXPECT INCREASE IN MOTOR TRANSPORTATION

By C. F. DONNOCKER

The possibility of motor transportation for short runs is not an impossibility in the near future and the matter is one which is being given thought by live business men today. The need of the public for war necessities makes the plan all the more feasible and the cost of operation seems to be in favor of the automobile. Motor omnibuses have been used abroad and in this country with success and their number may soon increase. In speaking of the comparative saving in operating W. F. Aldrich, local Kissel Kar distributor says:

"In comparing the efficiency and economy of the automobile for passenger transportation with other carriers, the whole comparison rests on the matter of weight.

"It is said that 'dull' operates at least 75 per cent. of the expense because the engine has to develop the motor power necessary to move it. The average five-passenger automobile weighs approximately 4000 pounds, or when loaded with five passengers, not over 2,500 pounds, even with the baggage allowed on the running board. This gives a weight of only 700 pounds per passenger load for the power plant to move.

"I understand our high-class Pullman trains carry a car load of passenger of 10,000 pounds. Of course, on local trains with day coaches the burden is smaller, between one and two tons per passenger seating capacity. These figures necessarily include the weight of the entire train, just the same as the automobile figures include the weight of the entire car.

"It is evident that in both cases the weight passenger requires power in proportion to move it, and power means fuel. In these days of conservation, when the saving of fuel is such an important item, weight reduction, as worked out in the automobile, is apparently the key to the solution."

SENATE READY TO ACT ON SECRET DIPLOMACY

Washington, June 7—The Senate stood ready today to put itself on record on the issue of secret diplomacy laid down by President Wilson in his address to Congress last Winter on peace terms. The issue is presented in an amendment offered by Senator Borah of Idaho to the Underwood resolution to put the Senate on record "of open covenants openly arrived at" during the war. The amendment would sweep aside Senate traditions and require the consideration of all treaties in open session, unless four-fifths of the members present vote to close the doors to the public.

ACCUSED OF THEFT OF LIBERTY BOND NEST EGG

Charged with stealing $75 which the owner was saving to buy a Liberty Bond of the next issue, Lewis A. Caufield, nineteen, of Dorchester bachelor apartments, Dorchester, was held in $800 today in Dorchester Court. The complaint charged that Special Officer Herbert Flaherty and was stolen from his clothes in a coat room at the office of Dr. Caufield was also charged with breaking and entering additional nights and larceny of small sum of money, larceny of $5.40 from A. Locke of Roxbury and attempting breaking and entering of the home of Cora Briggs, No. 129 Park street, Dorchester.

SKIES TO CLEAR TONIGHT FOR FAIR DAY TOMORROW

Boston was the warmest place in New England yesterday, the weather bureau promises the "inky" atmosphere will disappear tonight, with fair and cooler weather to take its place. The warm rain-laden south wind made conditions uncomfortable today. Nearly everybody in town complained of the humidity. Today the temperature was 78 in Boston, only ten degrees cooler than Galveston, Texas, which reported the highest in the country. Eastport, Me., reported 52, the lowest in New England. It was raining steadily all along the Atlantic coast to the Carolinas. Elsewhere in the United States fair weather prevailed. Tomorrow will be fair.

GOVERNMENT LISTS PRICES OF VEGETABLES

PRODUCE	PRICES PAID BY RETAILERS*	RETAIL PRICES AS LOW AS
VEGETABLES		
Asparagus	11@15c bunch	13@20c bunch
Beans, green	09@10c qt.	12c qt.
Beans, wax	09@10c qt.	12c qt.
Beets, bunch	04@10c bunch	06@12c bunch
Carrots, bunch	04@10c bunch	06@12c bunch
Cabbage, Southern	2½@3c lb.	4c lb.
Cauliflower, No. 1	08@12½c each	12 and 15c each
Lettuce, head	05@6c head	06@8c head
Lettuce, leaf	5½@6c lb.	8c lb. 25c.
Peppers	04@6c doz.	10c lb.
Radishes, old	04@06c bunch	06@08c bunch
Potatoes, new, No. 1	18@35c pk.	35@40c pk.
Radishes	1½@2c bunch	3 for 10c.
Rhubarb, outdoor	2@2½c lb.	5 lbs. for 10c.
Spinach, local	10@12½c pk.	20@25c pk.
Tomatoes, hothouse	20@35c lb.	35@40c lb.
Squash, Southern, narrow neck	3@5½c lb.	6@8c lb.
FRUITS		
Grapefruit, small	5½@6c each	5 for 25c.
Grapefruit, medium	To-c each	10c and 2 for 25c.
Grapefruit, large	12@15c each	15c each
Lemons, Cal., 300's	40@42c doz.	50c doz.
Blackberries	20@25c qt.	25@30c qt.
Cantaloupes	10@25c each	15@30c each
Watermelons	25@35c each	30@40c each
Pineapples	12@20c each	15@25c each
DAIRY PRODUCTS		
Butter, best	45@46c lb.	52c lb.
Butter, good	44@45c lb.	50@52c lb.
Butter, fair	40@42½c lb.	48@50c lb.
Cheese, whole milk	27½@28c lb.	34@35c lb.
Eggs, nearby	47@48c doz.	55@60c doz.
Eggs, Eastern fresh	43@44c doz.	45@50c doz.
Eggs, Western fresh	40@42c doz.	45@50c doz.

Prices paid by retailers collected by the U. S. Bureau of Markets; retail prices by the Massachusetts Board of Food Administration.

*Prices paid by retailers represent approximately the cost to the retailer in unbroken packages. Allowance should be made for variable costs of repacking, cartage, service, etc.

IRREGULARITY IN PRICES OF STOCKS

Losses were general throughout the list in initial stock market dealings today. U. S. Steel opened at 98, and after selling at 97¾ rallied a point. Rails lost 1¼. Crucible Steel dropped to 80¼, off 1¼. Republic Iron & Steel went to 82¾, off 1¾, and Colorado Fuel and Iron was off 1¼, at 46¼.

Baldwin Locomotive started off a point at 85¾. It remained weak, going down to 83¼.

Marine issues and Tobacco stocks made both gains and losses. Marine pf. after a loss of ¼, rose rapidly to 103¼, up 1¾; the common had a small gain.

American Sumatra Tobacco, after falling 123¼, off 1¾, advanced to 125¼, up ¾. Tobacco Products sold off ¾, then went to 62, up ¼.

Reading opened off ¾, at 87¾, then made a gain of ¼, at 88¼. Other rails were quiet. New Haven at 40¼, showed a loss of ¼.

Among other stocks showing losses of a point or more were Atlantic Gulf, 103¼ (it later sold at 107¾), Distillers Securities, Industrial Alcohol, and Lackawanna Steel.

Coppers were dull and weak. Anaconda gained ¼, then sold off ¼, at 78¼. Utah Copper was fractionally higher.

The session was quiet and featureless. Massachusetts Electric preferred and Boston & Maine opened unchanged. United Shoe Machinery and Quincy Mining Co. suffered small losses. The market closed dull, unchanged to ¼ off, at noon, with price movements irregular.

At midday there was a rally and a few gains were registered. Baldwin Locomotors and Studebaker became active, and each made over a point gain. New York, after early losses, was up a fraction. Tobacco stocks were active, but the trading sold gains. Shipping stocks were firm.

EXPLOSIVE DISCOVERED ABOARD STEAMSHIP

Baltimore, June 7—Twelve sticks of nitrate were found in the after hold of an American steamship about to leave port with a full cargo. It is believed they were put there to blow up the ship. Last September the master and crew rescued the crew of a French vessel whom the German commander of a submarine was making every effort to kill by gunfire, after their vessel had been torpedoed and sunk. Several persons are under surveillance.

ALL AUSTRIA SEETHES WITH SPIRIT OF REVOLT

London, June 7—The Exchange Telegraph Copenhagen correspondent says the fact that the German people is not mentioning the Austrian Socialists' peace propaganda proves that "secret things" are happening in Austria."

Other dispatches attribute the delay in the long announced Austrian offensive in Italy to serious internal differences bordering on revolt.

CAMBRIDGE POLICEMAN ON VISIT LOSES AUTO

Ralph R. Rice of No. 21 Cogswell avenue, Cambridge, a member of the Cambridge Police Department, motored out to Lexington and left his touring car on Pleasant street, East Lexington, while he went into a neighboring house. When he came out his machine was gone.

MUST GIVE OUT NUMBERS TO ALL NEW REGISTRANTS

Adjutant-General Jesse F. Stevens sent a circular letter today to all town clerks of local registration boards notifying them that they must assign registration number to all new registrants today. Failure to do this notifies them that sufficient clerical help during the rush has not been secured to replace deficiencies.

GERMANY PREPARES FOR ANOTHER "PEACE DRIVE"

Paris, June 7—In the interval between the Aisne offensive and the new million men reinforcements Germany is expected to launch a new "peace drive," German papers state that Paris is not the objective of the offensive.

SHIP CLEANER'S FALL MAY RESULT IN DEATH

James Kenny of No. 68 Central avenue, Revere, a cleaner on a vessel in the harbor, was seriously injured when he fell thirty feet from the second deck of the vessel to the hold. He was sent to the Relief Hospital, where it was found he suffering from a fractured skull.

OPPORTUNITY IS OPEN TO FARM WORKERS

By THOMAS F. PHELAN,
United States Farm Agent.

Twelve sturdy men with strong and sinewy arms are today toiling in the green fields of old New Hampshire. They were sent there through the good offices of the AMERICAN to assist Uncle Sam in winning the war.

Each will receive from their employer a salary of $45 a month with board and lodging. They are beyond the draft age and will do their bit for the country in this way.

Their attention was directed to the need of farm help by this column, and they will be found in the bench office of this paper at the United States Employment Service, 53 Canal street, Boston, where they were signed up by W. J. Burke, a government agent. That ought to be an incentive to other men in need of employment.

Farm work will develop all that is good and noble in a man. Besides, during the Summer and early Fall he will surely enjoy the life of a farmer.

NEED EXPERIENCED MILKERS.

Think of what the life of a farmer means! It is keeping with the old adage, "Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise." There is nothing like muscle-building as milking a cow.

Farmers of all parts of the State, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont need experienced milkers. There is good pay. Be like the twelve strong men, call at No. 53 Canal street, register, state your experience, and you will be shipped at once. Early Fall will then have the consciousness of knowing that you are doing your bit for the country and co-operating with Uncle Sam in winning the war.

The telephone is the latest agency to be enlisted by the Department of Labor in bringing together the labor needs of farmers and the labor-supplying facilities of the United States Employment Service at No. 53 Canal street.

Farm subscribers on the lines of telephone companies in this State, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, soon will directly be connected with the branch offices and community representatives of the Federal Employment Service system if a request for their patriotic assistance made by the Department of Labor is complied with by the telephone company.

In a letter addressed to the telephone company Secretary of Labor Wilson is asking that operators on farm lines connect, if practicable, at least once a week, advise them that their company is co-operating with the United States Employment Service, and ask if they are in need of help.

NO NEED TO BE IDLE.

When a farmer replies in the affirmative, the operator will ask the number and kind of workers wanted, wages offered, and other necessary details, noting the answers on the local office application form used by the Employment Service. His request will immediately be referred to the local office and the answer will be given by the telephone company to the local telephone operator, who will be responding to the nearest Federal employment agency.

There is a need of a man being idle today. The opportunity opened to him on the farms in this and neighboring States ought to attract late any man with an ambition to work. The Employment Service is for the benefit of the unemployed. Enroll for farm work.

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Used Cars and Accessories.

WANTED TO BUY
LIMOUSINE BODY for model 25 Packard chassis. Apply STEVE, Hotel New Richmond, Boston.

WANTED TO BUY.
FORD touring cars and runabouts for cash, or will trade for new cars. C. M. TURNER, 39 Stanhope st. Tel. Beach 5020.

TWO CARS bought and sold; parts 1-3 list; 5-ton trucks, $1.87 hour; 5-pass. touring cars, 16c mile. ALL MAKES, 1007 Tremont st.

I WILL sell my late 1914 Hudson, light five-passenger, for $600. R. V. STONE, 813 Bailey st., Watertown. Tel. 361.

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Real Estate—Belmont.

TO RENT or sell, mortgage property and WILLARD B. CHERRY, Belmont 0410.

Real Estate—Cambridge.

FOR SALE—Cambridge, near Magazine street and Parkway; three-apartment house of 6 rooms and bath each; all rented; price $6,000; monthly improvement. Rent $62.50 per month; price $7600. Apply to owner, C. B. MORAN, 7 Dana st., Cambridge.

FOR SALE—Cambridge, near Huron av.; two-family house, built three years, substantially constructed, price $6000. Must be sold at once. $1000 cash required. Call 2am, 416.

Real Estate—Mattapan.

SINGLE houses at all prices; small payment, balance as rent. C. M. DOWNER, 1036 Blue Hill av.

Real Estate—Miscellaneous

Home $1050—6c to Quincy
$100 DOWN and $10 a month buys my new bungalow in Weymouth, etc., lights, open fire-place, large piazza, etc. W 48, Boston American.

$1100—COTTAGE
$100 DOWN and $12 a month will buy a 6-room house at Heights Nook, with open fireplace, hardwood floors, hardwood finish, large piazza, 2 lots of land. Apply to LEO F. SIMS, 1153 Hyde Park ave., Quincy. Tel. 1152-W.

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FOR SALE—Beautiful Summer place, large modern house with 5 and baths and garage; large supplies in front of house, 20 acres of land with fruit trees on same, 2 miles from village; only $2000 if sold at once; this figure for a few days only. Apply owner, H. G. YEATON, Hillsboro, N. H.

EVERETT—$10 cash, bal. of $85 on easy terms; 3,750 ft. lot. B 68, Boston American.

Real Estate—Canton.

CANTON
NINE-ROOM HOUSE, improvements, 4 acre of land, carriage house, stable; price only $3500, $500 down. Tel. Milton 1017-W. JOHN E. SAWYER, 15 Chester st., Hartford, Conn.

Real Estate—Cliftondale.

$200 DOWN, balance as rent, runs 6-room bungalow; hardwood floors, electric lights; fine view; 10 minutes to station; high land. Telephone, Saugus 219. FRANK B. SODAN.

Real Estate—Medford.

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, with all improvements, runs 6 and 6; price $5,000. Address owner, fireplace, good location. C. A. BROOKS, Medford.

MEDFORD, 2 family house, 5 and 6 rooms, steam heat, hardwood floors, tiled baths, etc.; price $9,000. $1,000 down. H. WATCH & BASSO, 8 Main st., Winter Hill, Somerville.

Real Estate—Squantum.

SQUANTUM
NEW 6-ROOM HOUSE, all modern improvements, hardwood floors, fireplace, overlooking playing for sale cheap, or will take house and lot in exchange for property. JOHN HOLMES, Bellevue rd., Squantum.

Real Estate—Winthrop

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, 13 rms., 2 baths, 4 garages, h. w. h., gas, open fireplaces, large lot, near water and station, income $900; price $7500. Tel. Winthrop 1290.

Summer Cottages,

NANTASKET—Five-room fully water front; 7 rooms and bath, all improvements, fine view; always a home; 10 minutes' walk cars or SMITHS BROS., Quincy; tel. Quincy 1100 or 2175-R.

IDEAL location, Salem's Pond, Beverly, Mass., four finished rooms on water front, gas, fireplace and modern conveniences. Address MRS. C. FOREST.

4 or 6 rooms, screened piazza, running camp and 6 rooms, screened piazza, running water, with boat. Apply 1 Dana st., Quincy.

COTTAGES FOR SALE or to let. W. S. 08. BOENE, Scituate Harbor. Tel. Scituate 19-W.

Apartments—Back Bay.

NEW FURN. APARTMENTS, 3 TO 8 ROOMS Also unfurnished suites; A-1 locations, R. Bay; some with garage. Apply to owner, 1 Gloucester st. Tel. B. B. 1210; auto service.

FURNISHED apartment, 5 rooms and bath and large bath, up 1 flight, rent $45, to sublet for July and August. Apply 24 ALBEMARLE CHAMBERS; tel. B. B. 6780.

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Apartments—Beacon Hill.

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Apartments—Cambridge.

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Apartments—Everett

APARTMENTS of 5 and 6 rooms and bath, all improvements, best location north of Boston, high and dry, near electric, neighborhood, grandfather walks, shade trees, etc., $21 to $25. SEARS, 648 Broadway, Everett. Tel. 1240-W.

Apartments—Jamaica Plain

TO LET—3 to 5 rooms, with gas, $8 to $12 per month. CONNAUGHTON, cor. Call and Child sts.

Apartments—Roxbury.

KITCHENETTE SUITE, 2 rooms, bath and kitchenette, steam heat, everything separate; newly painted; 1 to 3 yrs. 1 Dana st., Forest st.

APARTMENTS—Sunny 6 rooms, toilet and gas, $13 per month; 3 large, sunny rooms, with pantry, $7.50; 4 rooms, $9; 5 rooms, $11. 1 Longwood av., near Huntington av., Roxbury.

DUDLEY, 5 rooms, bath, gas, all improvements, with back piazza, $22; owner will be at premises 1 to 2 p. m.

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Let the Government Take Over Telegraph and Telephone Lines

The Western Union Telegraph Company has refused to accept the recommendations of the government representatives charged with the duty of adjusting the labor disputes. This official labor board was headed by Ex-President Taft and Frank G. Walsh.

Mr. Carlton, president of the Western Union, declares that if he were to chose between government control and unionization of his company he would prefer government control. Very well, then, let him have it.

The United States is the only one among the great nations of the world that does not own and operate its own telephone and telegraph system. By every analogy of reasoning it is as much the duty of the government to operate the telegraph and telephone companies as it is the postal system. Postmaster-General Howe in his report to Congress way back in 1882, almost forty years ago, said:

The business of the telegraph is inherently the same as that of the mail. It is to transmit messages from one person to another. That is the very purpose for which post offices and post roads are established. The power to establish is not limited to any particular modes of transmission. The telegraph was not known when the Constitution was adopted. Neither was the railway. I cannot doubt that the power to employ one means clear as to employ the other.

Our National Constitution without doubt contemplated that the National Government should assume the duty of operating in behalf of the people all means of communication of intelligence. In 1843 the National Government aided in the construction of the first telegraph lines as a part of its postal duty. But the great concentration of public opinion upon the slavery question and upon the tariff allowed the exploiters to steal away this public function under the congressional pretence of economy.

Great Britain, with a clearer view of the public interest and of sound policy, in 1869 passed a law which reads as follows:

The Postmaster-General by himself or his deputies and his and their respective servants and agents shall have the exclusive privilege of transmitting telegrams within the United Kingdom and Great Britain and Ireland, except as hereinafter provided; and shall also within that Kingdom have the exclusive privilege of performing all the incidental services of receiving, collecting or delivering telegrams, except as hereinafter provided.

In 1880 a controversy in England arose over the question whether or not the telephone was also a telegraph in the eye of the law, in which case under the law we have just quoted the British Government would have the exclusive right to operate the telephones. This was construing an act of the British Legislature. The people of Great Britain have been far too intelligent and self-respecting to allow any judges to declare a law which their representatives have passed null and void because a majority of the judges, perhaps four or five, do not approve of the law. Most of the people of Great Britain would be amazed to know that Americans tolerate such an undemocratic power in our courts. In Great Britain the courts are only concerned in interpreting the will of the Legislature—of finding out just what the Legislature really intended to be done. The highest British court held that a telephone message was the same as a telegraph message, and that the act of Parliament giving the British Government the exclusive right to transmit telegrams between its people gave it also the exclusive right to transmit telephone messages.

The private ownership of our telephones and telegraphs have been a great source of humiliation and embarrassment to us as a nation. Postmaster-General Burleson, in a recent report to Congress, says:

All of the important countries, the United States, Canada and Mexico excepted, have bound themselves by an international agreement to observe uniform regulations in the administration of their telegraph service. These regulations, with a view to affording the people the most efficient service at the lowest cost, require the use of the latest and best improvements in the telegraphic art, and prescribe the manner and method of receiving, transmitting and delivering telegrams and the rates of tolls to be collected. The privately owned telegraph companies of the United States, Canada and Mexico, to the detriment of the people, have remained outsiders to these international rules and regulations.

The United States recently became a party to an international agreement with respect to radio-telegraphy, and in this service bound itself to observe many of the rules and regulations governing the telegraph service in foreign countries. On account of the close relation which must exist between the land telegraph companies and the radio companies great confusion is now resulting from the fact that the United States is bound to observe modern rules and regulations in its radio service, but is compelled to use archaic forms and regulations in its land service because of the attitude of the commercial telegraph companies.

At the International Radio Conference at London in 1912 the delegates from the United States signed the treaty only with a humiliating condition in the protocol that, as the telegraph lines in the United States were owned by private companies, this country must abstain from all regulations concerning tariffs.

Consider this humiliation. Consider the injury to American interests involved in the fact that of all the great countries we alone do not own and operate our own telephone and telegraph lines. Every postmaster-general in the last half century, save one, has urged upon Congress the taking over and the operation of these lines. From every point of view it is wise. Under private ownership and operation of the telegraph lines the people of America have been denied the free use of the telegraph—one of the greatest conveniences of modern civilization. We boast that we have a free country; that we control our own government; that it is a government of, for and by the people; that it is a government of equal opportunity for all and special privileges for none. Many of our self-satisfied Americans look down upon the people of foreign countries in the belief that these people have no interest in their government, and that their government has no interest in them. It is only lately that intelligent Americans have been waking up to the true state of things. It is only lately that intelligent Americans have been waking up to a realization of the fact that during the last fifty years we have not had a real democracy in America, but have really been suffering under a plutocracy—an invisible government of men who controlled the wealth of the nation and who have used it corruptly to control our public officials, to control our laws, our courts, our executives and our newspapers.

Speaking of the loss which the American people have suffered all these years through the private ownership and operation of the telegraph company, Postmaster-General Burleson in his report makes this very significant and important statement:

Telegraph facilities have not been extended to the small towns and villages along with the government postal facilities, nor has the cost of the service been reduced in the inverse proportion that would seem to be warranted by the increasing volume of business transacted. Neither has the volume of business in this country, in proportion to the population, been as great as in countries where this facility is owned and operated governmentally. This fact unquestionably is attributed to prohibitive rates and the failure of the companies to extend the service to territory which promises small profits.

An official report of the Postmaster-General of Great Britain in 1911 shows that between 1869 (the year the British government took possession of the telegraphs) and 1900 the number of messages handled in that country increased thirteenfold, while the population increased but 30 per cent. During the same period the population of the United States increased 100 per cent., and yet the number of telegraph messages handled increased but eightfold.

In 1912 the number of messages handled in this country was barely in excess of one per capita; in New Zealand, where the telegraphs are owned and operated by the government, the number was more than eight per capita.

Statistics show that, although the United States outranks all other countries in postal transactions per capita, in respect to telegraphs it is outranked by eight other countries.

Two able and experienced officers who have seen service for several years on the western front, who are technically trained and understand the military problems which confront the Germans and the allies on the western front, told the editor of the AMERICAN within a few days that the success of the Germans in the last two months has been due to the fact that France did not purchase and operate all her own railroads ten years ago. They confirm what Lloyd George, the British premier, in a speech in the House of Commons stated to be a fact; namely, that the Germans have scarcely any more men on the western front than the allies. The advantage which the Germans have is in their railroads. These officers told the editor of the AMERICAN a story which would be very revealing if it could be repeated publicly concerning the advantage of railroads in this titanic and fateful struggle.

One of the extraordinary things which will pass President Wilson's name down in history is the fact that, to use a slang expression, he rarely ever "loses sight of the ball," no matter how exciting and frightful the occasion. President Wilson has marshalled the diverse opinions and still more diverse objects of the allies in this war under the single banner of democracy. Before America entered into this war, and even before the war began, under the ladership of Wilson the nation made more democratic progress than it made in any similar time under any President since Lincoln, and perhaps since Jefferson. President Wilson knows the condition of our American body politic, because he has been a profound student of American politics. He knows that for fifty years, at least, we have not been a democracy. He knows that for fifty years we have been going the way that ancient Rome went, faster than ever ancient Rome went, down, down, through the stages of plutocracy toward autocracy and eventually to monarchy. He knows that wealth has concentrated faster in America than it did in Rome, and he knows what that always means to free institutions. He knows that concentrated wealth in this nation has exercised as great a power over our government as it ever did in Rome, and by the same corrupting methods. Therefore he knows that the greatest menace to American liberty and democracy lies in the private control and private operation of these great public service companies like the railroads, telephone and telegraph companies, the street railways and the gas and electric light companies.

Under his guidance we have taken over the railroads as a war measure. We know that he believes that the government should also take the telegraph and telephone companies. There is no better time to take them than now, and there is no better way to make America safe for democracy than to take and to hold the telegraph and telephone companies and the railroads.

How Is It? -:- By T. E. Powers

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SAY! HOW LONG MUST I WAIT
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HOW TO KEEP COOL

ELIZABETH'S FUTURE IS PROBLEM OF WAR

By Winifred Black

MARY and Susy and Kate and Jane and Elizabeth are all in high school together. They are going to graduate in June, and after that Mary is going to the University, Susy is going to a girls' college, Kate will enter business college, Jane intends to study architecture, but Elizabeth is going to stay at home and take care of her complexion.

Elizabeth's mother says she wouldn't have a daughter of hers go out into this rough world and make her own way for anything on earth, and Elizabeth has nice hair and a good skin, and not a bad figure, and Elizabeth's mother can't believe it possible that Elizabeth will never marry.

I am afraid I don't think Elizabeth's mother is a very sensible woman.

Of course, every normal mother wishes that her daughter would marry some good man who will take good care of her and give her a nice, comfortable little home, and plenty of fresh, crisp muslins in the Summer and a nice moleskin in the Winter, and at least an electric for the year around.

But how can any women living be so blind as not to see that times have changed in these last few years?

Where is Elizabeth's husband going to come from? Elizabeth is sixteen now, and the man she would be likely to marry isn't at home learning his father's business, nor at college just graduating and getting ready to go into practice somewhere with one of his father's old friends.

He is in France in the trenches, or up in air, or on the sea in a destroyer, and he is fighting for his country.

How does Elizabeth's mother know that he is ever going to come home to marry anybody, or if he does live to marry Isn't it quite possible he may make some nice little French girl or some tall English miss his wife?

Men aren't going to be so easy to find when this war is over. Any woman who has lived through the generation of the Civil War ought to know that. The South is not the only part of this country which has been full of maiden ladies ever since Lee surrendered. Massachusetts was full of them, too, and so was Maine and Vermont. Neither the Massachusetts women nor the Southern women stayed single because they hated the thought of marriage. Most of them stayed single because their sweethearts or the men who would have been their sweethearts were killed in the war, and there weren't men enough to go around when the war was over.

Mary and Susy and Kate and Jane may every one of them marry, and marry happily, and then again they may not, and the chances just now aren't particularly in favor of Elizabeth either—let me observe quite impartially—and when Elizabeth gets to be thirty-five or forty, and has nothing to do but shampoo her hair and manicure her nails and put cold cream on her face and arrange flowers in the bowl on the dining room table, I am afraid she may look rather faded and a little more than disappointed.

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Letter of Thanks

Editor Boston AMERICAN:

Kindly permit me by this public means to thank you for the generous notices your paper has given of the work of the National Association for Mothers of the Defenders of Democracy and its appeal for prayer on Mothers' Day, and also gratefully to acknowledge in your columns the receipt of letters from wives and mothers of men in service, asking to be enrolled as associate members.

Since the press throughout the United States, as a result of the notice in the "Official Bulletin" of May 11, so widely announced the work of the association, No. 51 East Forty-second street, New York city, and since there are 2,000,000 women who have sons or husbands at war, I find this the only means possible of acknowledging the enrollment of the free memberships.

I trust that each wife or mother so enrolling will accept this as an answer to her letter.

In the service of the mothers,
PAULINE A. MacARTHUR,
President.

AMERICA IS WINNING WAR BY SCIENCE

By Garrett P. Serviss

THE American army of science has been keeping step with the army that carries the guns. Its achievements have been both sudden and astonishing. The most inspiring statement of them that I have seen comes from Professor S. W. Parr, of the University of Illinois, who collects his facts altogether from the records of American chemical industries during the last three or four years. They show how our men of science, working mainly without any public recognition, are winning industrial independence for us in that vast field where before the war we lay virtually prostrate at the feet of Germany.

One of the most staggering blows that has been dealt to the would-be autocrat of the world is the result of the severance of the bonds that kept us dependent upon German sources for such essential things as dyestuffs, explosive substances, potash, graphite, optical glass, manufactured nitrates, etc.

The mere mention of these names gives to the general reader no conception of the importance of the industries connected with them. Before the war America was in a state of infantile helplessness with regard to these things, and so far as any indications showed would have continued indefinitely in that dependent state if the Kaiser and his war worshippers had not suddenly forced her to take care of herself by developing her latent energies.

To show the measure of our present independence, which is continually and rapidly growing, let me put into short compass a few of the facts brought out by Professor Parr.

Concrete Facts

Before the war we had only half a dozen small establishments engaged in the manufacture of dyes and accessory substances, and these were mostly importation houses. Germany did practically the whole business. Today we have 130 corporations, with hundreds of millions of capital, engaged in this work, entirely independent of Germany. Previous to 1914 we imported yearly about $10,000,000 worth of dyestuffs and, of course, exported none, because there was practically no manufacturing of dyes here. Last year we not only supplied our own needs, but exported $12,500,000 worth of dyestuffs. An interesting item in this story is the fact that it was a young American student of chemistry who, about twenty months ago, developed from the wood of the osage orange the dye now employed to color the uniforms of our soldiers.

Before the war all the clay used in manufacturing graphite crucibles, which are of immense importance in metallurgy, came from a certain locality in Germany. The stock on hand lasted one year. Then, two years ago, American crucibles, made of American materials, began to appear, and now they are pronounced by chemists to be not only equal but superior to any that were formerly made of imported clay.

A similar story is told about optical glass. Before the war Germany made all the optical glass that was used in this country. When she began to fight the world and we had to look out for ourselves, for we could not go blind or cease to study the infinitely great and the infinitely little because the war spirit had been let loose upon this small planet.

Perseverance Prevails

The result is thrilling, as stated in the simple words used by Professor Parr: "The problem was taken up by the government laboratories, and by scientific calculations and deductions, coupled with skilful experimentation, they are now able, after ten months, to produce not only a better, but a greater variety of optical glass than the Germans had been able to produce in ten years!"

Take next the great question of the manufacture of nitric acid and nitrates. Four-fifths of the air is nitrogen. For years ways have been known to take nitrogen direct from the air for the manufacture of ammonia, nitric acid and nitrates. But it was only in Norway and Germany that this industry had been placed on a commercial footing. In our large, easy way we bought what we needed, let others take the profits, and concerned ourselves only about affairs that happened to attract us more strongly.

Once-Overs

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MANNERS AND MOTORS

Mr. Car Owner, why don't you turn over a new leaf this Summer and think of some one in your neighborhood who might enjoy a ride in the warm sunshine occasionally?

There are many persons abundantly able to own cars but who, for one reason or another, do not possess one.

There are others who are really too infirm to take the responsibility of running a car and yet would enjoy a ride with a companionable driver.

To be sure, they can hire a taxi, but how does that compare with a trip in the country with friends?

Warm up your heart strings with the coming of Spring and think of some one else besides yourself in the pursuit of recreation and fresh air.

Begin that way and then it won't seem as the season wears on that you are tired of your own company and so are reaching out for your own diversion.

Be a friend to your friends.

On the other hand, if you are invited out don't be too bossy and dictatorial about where you want to go and how to get there.

But that is another story.

You Bet He Is!

By BILL STINGER

IF anyone tells you our transports are lost—
That only a few of them ever have cross'd—
That the ocean is now by the submarine boss'd—
HE'S A LIAR!

If anyone says that our Boys are ill fed—
That many are dying and many are dead—
That disease and disaster are now on the spread—
HE'S A LIAR!

If he tells you Red Cross is failing to do
The most noble work that the World ever knew,
And charge it with graft or with failure to you—
HE'S A LIAR!

If ANYONE says we have entered this war
To fight for ourselves or to add to our store—
That the rich are the ones we are fighting for—
HE'S A LIAR!

If anyone whispers a tale in your ear
That would rob you of confidence, ginger and cheer,
Depressing your soul with foreboding and fear—
HE'S A LIAR!

Or pass on to others some pro-German lie,
You're playing the game of a Teutonic spy—
If YOU listen to lies without a reply,
DON'T DO IT!